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**Hanson Hills
Gets Boost
From Business**

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News Briefs

**Frederic Library Building
Fund Reaches \$35,000 Mark**

The Frederic Community Library Advisory Board has raised \$35,708.88 towards the goal of \$101,445 that is needed to complete the library building project, said Merna Newberry, President of the Library Advisory Board.

Corporate donations were received from Weyerhaeuser Company, Shell Oil Company, Grayling Booster Club and Glen's Market Family Center (green slips).

From the sale of Joe Murphy's book of poems, "Memories of Frederic, My Home Town", \$1500 has been raised to date.

Other recent individual donations are: Lillian Clough, \$100; Clarice Hill, \$200; Friends of Robert Pearce, \$80; Friends of Max Tobin, \$25; John T. Maghelse, \$25. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Miller, \$1000 for shelving plus labor.

If you would like to make a donation to the building fund in any amount, or place a memorial for a loved one, send it to: Frederic Community Library Building Fund, P.O. Box 122, Frederic, Michigan 49733.

**Guard Air Crew Aids
Wet, Cold Snowmobiler**

On February 17, the crew of a Michigan Army National Guard helicopter traveling west over Camp Grayling, were signalled for help by a snowmobiler. Alerted by the rider's frantic waving, the pilot landed his aircraft to investigate. As the pilot, CW2 Nelson Muma, stayed with the aircraft, CW3 Jeffrey Butler and SSG Marvin Wells learned that one snowmobile rider had fallen into Portage Creek, and was freezing.

The crew members loaded the soaked rider onto the aircraft, helped him into dry clothing, and checked him for injuries. Out of danger and somewhat warmer, the rider was able to state that despite his military clothing, he was a civilian, and had ridden off the pipeline right-of-way, into Portage Creek. The temperature was in the high teens.

Muma then radioed for a vehicle to transport the man, and soon the grateful rider was taken to a warm building on Camp Grayling.

SSG Dennis Palmer, Operations NCO of Grayling Army Airfield, later explained that military aircraft cannot transport civilian passengers without prior authorization, but this situation looked desperate enough to warrant the Guard's "helping hand".

**Red Cross Blood Bank
At Legion Hall March 8th**

Blood is still in short supply, so Blood Donors of Crawford County are asked to come to the American Legion Hall in Grayling between noon and 6 p.m. and make that great gift to your fellow man - a pint of your own blood.

If you have never given a pint of your precious blood before come to the American Legion Hall in downtown Grayling on Wednesday, March 8th and experience that reaction yourself.

If you need transportation call Dial-A-Ride, 348-5409 and they will come and pick you up and take you back home when you are finished without charge.

Blood is badly needed, not only in Michigan, but throughout the United States and everyone will be grateful for the gift of a pint of your blood.

**Engler Featured Speaker
At Lincoln Day Dinner**

Senator John Engler will be the featured speaker at the Crawford County Lincoln Day Dinner Saturday, March 4. Engler is the Senate Majority Leader and a possible governor candidate in 1990.

State Representative Ralph Ostling will be the Master of Ceremonies. Joe Murphy, of Grayling, will read an original poem about Abraham Lincoln.

Cocktails begin at 6:30 p.m. with dinner at 7:30 p.m. Tickets are \$12.

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**City To Repave
Downtown Streets**

By Irene Pettyjohn

The Grayling City Council has authorized City Manager, Jerry Morford, to arrange the engineering for the reconstruction of Michigan Avenue from the railroad tracks to the Michelson Methodist Church. The project will include sidewalk replacement for two of the three blocks scheduled for construction.

The Council also agreed to have Morford proceed with advertisement and bidding of the project. If bidding goes as is expected, Morford estimates that the construction project will begin by April 10th with the road reconstruction completed by the Thursday before Memorial Day.

Sidewalk replacement from the store fronts to the new curb should be completed by June 10th.

Street paving will involve the three block downtown area; however, the sidewalk replacement will not include the sidewalk in front of the Grayling State Bank, or

across the street between the Post Office and the Keyport Clinic. Morford said that sidewalk in front of the Post Office did not need replacement, and the sidewalk in front of the Grayling State Bank does not go from store front to curb.

Leonard Graf, project engineer, estimated that the 1989 street paving project will cost about \$240,000. A breakdown of this figure shows that actual construction costs (if plain sidewalks are poured) is \$210,000 with the remaining \$30,000 paying for engineering expenses.

At the Council meeting, held Feb. 13th, Morford offered several reconstruction proposals. One of the proposals suggested that Michigan Avenue be narrowed by approximately 12 feet, and increase the sidewalk area 6 feet on each side.

Morford said that he felt there were advantages to this plan. One of these advantages was that the ex-Continued on page 3

**Hanson Hills Schedules
Special Election May 16**

By Irene Pettyjohn

The Crawford County Board of Commissioners voted 6 to 1 to allow the Grayling Recreation Authority (GRA) to schedule a special millage election on May 16th. The GRA will be asking Crawford County voters to approve a 1/4 mill tax renewal for the operation of the Hanson Hills Recreational Park through 1995, when renewal of the current lease is negotiated with the Michigan National Guard.

The Commissioners approved the request, conditional on the park's ability to finance the cost of the special election, estimated at between \$8,500 and \$10,000.

The Hanson Hills 1/4 mill request was turned down by voters twice in 1988; once in the August primary election, and again in the November election..

Pauline Petrosky, GRA chairperson, attributed the two previous defeats to the volume of financial requests voters were confronted with on both ballots, seven in all.

She said that the number of requests combined with the GRA's low key campaign cost Hanson Hills the millage renewal.

Beth Wieland, County clerk and member of the GRA Board, presented the request to the commissioners at their February 23rd meeting. She said that the GRA Board is going to try to raise the funds necessary to finance the special election, even though legally, the board can use its capital to pay election expenses.

Petrosky said that Marty VanDeVen, former member-at-large and the current director of the ski patrol, has volunteered not only to chair the election committee, but feels confident that donations from supporters of the Hanson Hills Park can be raised to help defray the special election costs, and has offered to head that effort.

Petrosky said that election expenses above what these donations cover will have to be paid for by Continued on page 3

**GHS Band Receives
Highest District Scores**

"This is a fine band with many good players and the product of fine instruction," wrote one judge. "You are getting good instructions from your director," wrote another.

And when the four judges' ballots were tallied, the Grayling High School Band learned that it had earned straight I (excellent) ratings at the District Band and Orchestra Festival in Traverse City on February 25.

Based on the total high school student enrollment, in 1988-89 the GHS band is in Class C. Within this classification, the band is rated on its individual merits, rather than against other schools. Four professional music instructors are hired to adjudicate each band — three in performance and one in sight reading. The average of the judges' marks determine the final grade.

This year, all four adjudicators awarded Grayling the highest possible ratings, a giant musical step up from 1988, when the GHS band received all II (good) ratings from every judge. "This is a major accomplishment," said GHS band director Dennis Ormsbee. "It is quite rare for a group to receive all I's the first time they start placing at Festivals."

Bands whose final rating averages a I are eligible to compete at the next level, the State Festival. Grayling will both host the state competition, to be held on April 28-29, and perform, along with other I-ranked bands from all

over Michigan.

"It is really fantastic that the Grayling High School Band will be performing at state competition and also hosting the competition," continued Ormsbee. "The students have been working very hard for this and I must say I am very proud of them."



FLOWING WATER SCULPTURE — Pine Knoll's Ice Tree topped the 42 foot level and continues to grow. Its natural blue ice color enhances the beauty of the ice pillar. (Irene Pettyjohn photo)

**Ice Tree Grows
To 42 Feet Tall**

The Ice Tree at Pine Knoll Campground is now over 42 feet tall, making it taller than an ice tree at Gaylord (37 feet) and one at Clare (36 feet). Both cities were claiming their ice tree was the biggest in the north.

The Pine Knoll Ice Tree is the creation of Lary Gust, owner of the campground, and Marshall and Gladys Damoth, campground managers. The beautiful blue ice flowing water sculpture is Gust's third ice creation.

The idea to create an Ice Tree came to Gust three winters ago when a waterline broke at the campground. Gust said he noticed a giant 200 foot ice cube forming on the ground. Because he could not repair the waterline, he was forced to let the water run until spring. He said that the idea to build an Ice Tree came as he watched the ice cube creep along the ground.

Last year, his first Ice Tree was

approximately 30 feet tall. Gust said that he enjoyed watching the pillar of ice take shape, but 30 feet was not tall enough. He said that he "got serious" and began designing a bigger and better creation for the following year.

This year Gust and the Damoths began building their newly designed Ice Tree in November. It developed slowly, hampered by mild temperatures, but really took off with the onset of Grayling's cold weather, growing nine feet in a single week. The new design uses abandoned Christmas trees, two at the base of the sculpture and two more at the 20 foot level, making the Pine Knoll Ice Tree an authentic tree of ice.

Gust said that he is excited with this year's effort, but is already busy making improvements for next year's creation.

Pine Knoll Campground is located on M-93, and the sculpture can be seen from the highway.



TOP RANKING — The GHS Band earned a trip to the State Festival. (Nancy Lemmen Photo)

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Repave

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tra 6 feet of sidewalk that would extend beyond the canopy coverings some businesses have constructed would allow for decorative lamps, planters, etc. that the canopied sidewalks deter.

Several downtown business people, including Richard Wieber, Laura Schans, Emil Kraus, and Bob McCurdy spoke in opposition of the narrowing of Michigan Avenue. Concerns regarding left turn traffic congestion, who would pay for decorative additions to the downtown sidewalks, and the possible loss of downtown angle parking were discussed.

The Council discussed whether to proceed with the Michigan Avenue project or focus their attention toward other paving projects. Latuszek favored repaving Michigan Avenue. Sloan favored doing streets which have never been paved. White said that the Council had not been given enough time to make a decision.

Sloan and White expressed their dissatisfaction with both the manner of presentation, and the time to make the major decision.

The Council then voted to proceed with the Michigan Avenue paving project at the road's present width.

Terry Dickinson, member of the Community Self-Improvement Project (CSIP), also attended the Council meeting. He said that he was enthusiastic about Morford's plan to extend the sidewalks, but was disappointed with his presentation of the plans.

Dickinson said that he was extremely surprised when he met with Morford on Feb. 10th and learned that he was going to present street narrowing plans to the City Council. He said that for more than two years CSIP has been asking Morford if he was ready to begin laying out some street-scaping plans. Dickinson said Morford repeatedly gave the group a list of reasons why this planning was premature. At CSIP's January monthly meeting Morford reiterated that he was not ready to begin discussing any street beautification plans. Dickinson said that less than three weeks later Morford was equipped with an engineer's rough draft for just such a plan.

Dickinson said that he believes that if the downtown business owners had been presented with flexible plans and had been given an opportunity to make suggestions, to have some input in the initial

planning stages, that a workable compromise could have been achieved. Instead, said Dickinson, the new idea was spread throughout the business community distorted with misinformation, and given a negative presentation. He said that in his opinion the sidewalk extension plan was defeated because misinformation regarding traffic congestion and lost parking spaces caused many business owners to panic unnecessarily.

Morford explained that in the construction contract the cost of the project is a unit price per sq. ft. of concrete removal and concrete replacement. This leaves the City the option of adjusting the quantities by any amount down to 50 percent of the total that is there now.

He said that the purpose of having this in the contract is to allow the City, if it decides to do some decorative treatments to the sidewalk area, the right to delete sidewalk construction from the general contract, and do them in a more detailed manner than a street contractor would do them. Morford said that this gives Grayling the option of installing brick sidewalks, patterned concrete sidewalks, colored concrete sidewalks, or whatever the Council decides. The Council has until May 15th to make its final decision regarding the downtown sidewalk treatment.

Morford said that he will be meeting with representatives of the downtown area property owners to develop a plan for the beautification improvements. This plan will include whether the City is going to plant trees, install pedestrian lamps (decorative lighting not to be confused with street lighting), benches, planters, refuse containers, statuary, or fountains. Sidewalk treatment will also be discussed at this time. Morford said that this meeting or meetings will take place prior to the Council's May 15th sidewalk deadline.

Morford said that all decorative furnishing expenses will be in addition to the projected \$240,000 price tag. He said that the City is still holding \$9,000 plus interest of a \$12,000 Weyerhaeuser Grant applied for by the Community Self-Improvement Project last year. Three thousand dollars of the grant was used to pay for Victorian benches, that are in storage, and will be installed on Michigan Avenue when the reconstruction project is completed.

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park revenues.

The GRA Board decided to request a special election when the lack of snow cut deeply into winter revenues needed to operate the year-round recreational facility.

Petrosky said that the GRA Board has discussed several options to try to operate the park without taxpayers support, but it was the consensus of the Board that the park's future financial stability and growth depends on passage of the 1/4 mill that the park has received for the past four years.

Alternative options to a millage request explored by the GRA Board included:

— Operating the park as a part-time facility, only during the skiing season. Petrosky said that the park's lease with the military is for a year-round facility, and that she is not sure how closing for part of the year would effect that agreement. She also pointed out that closing the park to summer activities would severely limit the community's use to only those people who enjoy winter sports.

Petrosky sees other problems with the operation of a part-time park. These include increased start-up costs for a facility that has laid dormant for eight months or more, the possibility for vandalism to the vacated park, and the lack of time part-time employees have to maintain the buildings and equipment.

Petrosky said that summer user fees are also deliberately kept as low as possible to keep recreation in Crawford County affordable to everyone, thus making the park accessible to everyone.

"Only with millage support can we hope to keep Hanson Hills a County park," stated Petrosky.

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Standardized Tests Topic For March PTA Meeting

March is here and with March come the annual California Achievement Tests in the elementary schools and the ACT or SAT tests in the upper grades. On Monday, March 6th at 7 p.m. at the Middle School Cafeteria, the Crawford AuSable PTA will be holding their monthly meeting with guest speaker, Dr. Stan Delidow speaking on standardized tests. Dr. Delidow is the Education Consultant for the COOR Intermediate School District. His talk will include a discussion of the various tests taken at our school with an explanation of the difference between the California Achievement Tests and the IQ test.

Discussion will also include information on how our children fare on these tests and what we as parents can do to help our children prepare for these tests.

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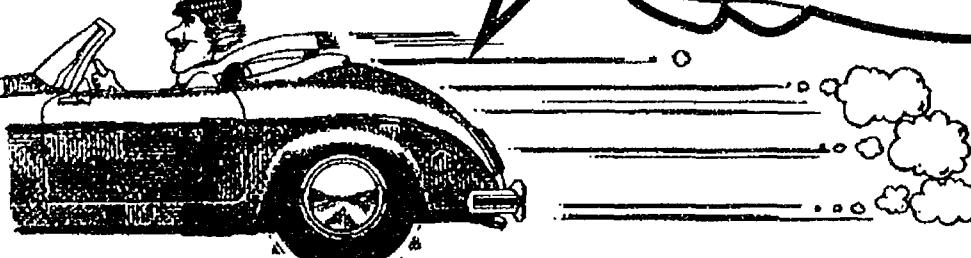
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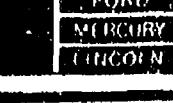
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Letters to the Editor

Criticism Is Meant To Be Constructive

To the Editor and the Grayling Trade Center Inc.,

Through the advertising efforts of the Grayling Trade Center, I'm sure many extra out-of-town visitors came to Grayling during our recent Winter Carnival.

I, family members and friends attended the Arts and Crafts Show at the Trade Center and was pleased with the beauty and quality of the goods presented for sale. We, other locals and some out-of-towners met at the show, agree that some of the complaints made by a member of exhibitors are valid.

I have no objection to donating to the Muscular Dystrophy Charity, it is one of my favorite charities. But people did not know in advance that a donation was required for admission and was surprised as a fee is not usually charged at Arts and Crafts Shows.

Though the donation probably would not have kept most from attending, it was viewed by some of us as tacky. Donating to a charity should be an American's choice. At nearly 7,000 visitors to the show, that adds up to \$3,000.00 plus for Jerry's Kids, great!

The long table of used books and other tables of outlet items, placed near the entrance, were also viewed by some as tacky. It would have been nice to have used the closed Trade Center entrance instead of directing people through the outlet. The majority of visitors would have patronized the outlet in the building.

The criticism is meant to be constructive. A positive impression for Grayling is the one we all work for, residents and the business community.

See you at the Trade Center.

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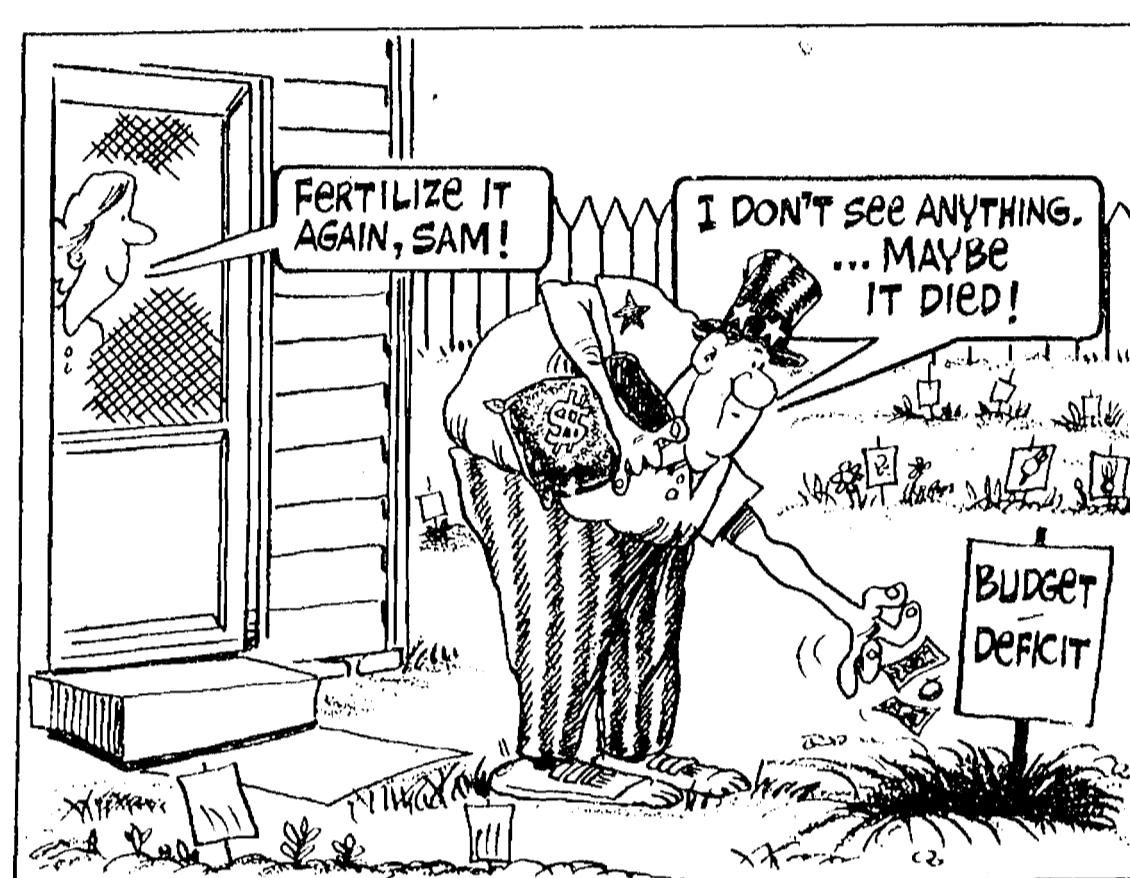
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By Nancy Lemmen
Avalanche Columnist

American Viewpoints



There was never a good
war or a bad peace.
Franklin

Notes from the Woods



Someone in state government recently had the audacity to suggest that the Michigan Lottery Commission put a cap of ten million dollars on the prize money awarded in the bi-weekly drawing, with the excess going into the state's educational fund.

Channel 7 in Traverse City randomly interviewed area residents to assess reactions to the idea, and ran some brief interviews on one of their telecasts last week. To a person, all those interviewed on and off camera were against the winnings cap.

It wouldn't be fair to limit a person's winnings to ten million, one said. It would take the excitement out of playing, complained another. I wouldn't play the Lottery any more, insisted a third.

I tried to be amused by the reactions. After all, we see greed and shortsightedness displayed in full-color every time we turn on the television set, from news to soaps to prime time shows.

But as a full-time teacher and one who remembers that the lottery was ostensibly designed to help cure the state's educational system's financial woes in the first place, I admit to feeling a degree of bitterness.

Be serious, I want to say to those people. Do they really think their lives would be enhanced if they were to win thirteen million dollars instead of ten million? Do they truly believe it would be such a bad investment to put their additional four or five or whatever million into educating our children? What plans did they have for their money (that they're not going to win anyway) that would be so compromised if they had to settle for only ten million?

They don't really believe that winning the lottery is going to make their perhaps ordinary or unhappy lives suddenly blissful and

carefree, do they? Let them tell me one — just one — case of someone they know who suddenly came into big money and became happier because of it. I can't think of anyone, although I do not hang out in the circles of the suddenly rich, so perhaps I just don't know them.

But everything that I know, see, read and hear makes me believe that wealth — both old and newfound — does not make a person happy and, in fact, often makes him greatly unhappy.

Did money buy everlasting joy for members of rich clans such as the Fords, the Dodges, the Getty's, the Onassis', the Kennedys? Did it keep them healthy? Did it prevent them from untimely or tragic deaths? Did it make their marriages last forever? Did it give them great comfort in their old age?

Will money compensate Christina Onassis' young daughter for her mother's recent death at age 37? Did it comfort Joseph and Rose Kennedy when two of their children died in plane crashes, when two others were assassinated? Did it buy happiness for Edsel Ford, presently battling his stepmother in court for a bigger share of his father's estate?

Last week, the Detroit Free Press carried excerpts from the book, "Dodge Dynasty: The Car and the Family That Rocked Detroit," by Caroline Latham and David Agresta. The authors quote matriarch Anna Thomson Dodge as saying, "Wealth is a curse." Dodge, wife of co-founder Horace Dodge, came to have an income of \$40,000 a day until her death in 1970. She insisted, nevertheless, that the days when she packed Horace's lunchpail every morning were the happiest of her life.

I believe her. Dave and I remember the poorest time in our mar-

riage as one of our best times. We had both left jobs in Alma to move up north and were prepared to do the most menial labor, if necessary, just to live where we wanted. As it turned out, we survived for months on a first-year teacher's salary in a rented cottage on the shore of Torch Lake. We counted every penny and we watched every sunset and we loved every day.

I recently read an article about lottery winners in the East who were driven to form a support group to help each other handle the financial, emotional and psychological pressures of suddenly being rich. Their great new wealth brought concurrent great new taxes. They had to make difficult choices about how to spend their money. Their family, friends and even strangers were after them for loans and gifts, and were angry if they refused. It wasn't easy being millionaires, they insisted.

I believe them, too. I'm reminded of an old Irish curse, the essence of which is: May you get what you wish for. For all of us who wish to win the lottery, and even buy the occasional or regular ticket, maybe we should celebrate each week when our numbers don't match the winning ones. If, one day, we happen to beat the astronomical odds and win a few million bucks, we'd better hope that it's not enough money to allow us to change our lifestyle.

If the nearly impossible were to happen and we did win, maybe we should just give it all away — not just anything above \$10 million — and try to preserve what happiness we had already in our pre-lottery life. Maybe we should give it to a deserving organization. Maybe the state educational system. It needs the money more than we do.

Opinions



Almanack

By Richard Millman
Avalanche President

Central American peace is iffy

remain just as skeptical.

As one, I have been listening closely for someone anyone to disavow the original intention of communism to spread "revolution" without borders throughout Central America, including Mexico. As far as the public record shows, such a conspiracy remains the operative theory of Central American communist politics.

We all should hope they are right.

The presidents of Guatemala, El Salvador, Nicaragua, Costa Rica and Honduras agreed to expel the anti-Sandinista contras from bases in Honduras, with the design of distributing them widely enough so that they will pose no more threat to the ruling powers in Nicaragua.

Details have yet to be worked out on a program for "the demobilization, repatriation or voluntary relocation in third countries" of an estimated 20,000 contras who have been fighting the Sandinistas.

The now-departed President Reagan was their top Yankee champion, and the Congress cut off their military aid a year ago. Obviously contra support is waning — although new President George Bush hasn't thrown in the towel yet; he has indicated he wants continued non-military financial aid to the contras. Whether he will get it is problematical.

In return for this Central American move, Nicaraguan President Daniel Ortega has promised to move up the timetable for presidential, legislative and municipal elections, by a few months in 1990. Free and open elections? Well, that's what Sr. Ortega promises. We shall see.

Adolfo Calero, one of the chief contra leaders, is not convinced.

"Any accord based on Ortega's promises is like trying to leash a dog with sausages," Sr. Calero said.

IS PEACE NEARER at hand in Central America? Perhaps. But at what price?

The Sandinistas are still close to the Communist regimes in Cuba and Russia. They are getting more and more assistance from Russia and the worldwide Communist orbit. If ever there was danger of Communist takeover in Central America, it is not lessened by disarming the contras as a step toward peace.

Central American watchers who are skeptical of Sr. Ortega's intentions — and his rather sad record of delivery on previous promises —

"I don't think doing it (killing animals) for money makes it any more moral," the Prince told a luncheon meeting of American correspondents in London.

"I don't think a prostitute is more moral than a wife, but they are doing the same thing. It is really rather like saying it is perfectly all right to commit adultery — providing you don't enjoy it."

NUTS AND JOLTS — Some closing "Nuts and Jolts" by Hod Shewell:

— How can a bank keep secrets when most of its employees are tellers?

— A country mile is the distance between an empty gas tank and the nearest gasoline station.

— The mean temperature during most Michigan winters is exactly that.

— All men are born free and equal, and remain that way until they get married.

Northern Views

By Jon Thompson
Avalanche Editor



"Honey, do you think we ought to go to Florida again this March for our family vacation?" Zela asked.

"Of course we should go again. What year was that we had such a good time? Was it 1982?" asked Harvey.

"No dear. That was the year our motor home broke down in the little Georgia town and we had to spend 3 nights at that boarding house. Remember trying to tiptoe around all that tobacco juice in the bathroom we had to share with Billy Bob, his brother Darryl, and his other brother Darryl?"

"Well, it must have been the year after that we had so much fun," said Harvey.

"No dear," Zela said, "because in 1988 it rained 11 out of 12 days and the one day there was sunshine, you got burnt to a crisp. You hurt so bad that year you tried to get me to drive you to the hospital for a skin transplant."

"It must have been 1984 I'm thinking about," said Harvey.

"No, that was the year of the hurricane. We left Florida early just in time to run into that ice storm in Ohio on the way back," Zela said.

"What about 1985?" Harvey was starting to look perplexed.

"Well, I didn't have any fun that year," Zela said. "That was the trip those college kids stayed on the floor above us and used our terrace to jump on. And then those stupid college football players stole our money and trashed our room because they thought we were the uni-

versity alumni boosters who were supposed to show them a good time."

"The worst year, though, was in 1986," Zela went on. "The kids had the flu and you had some funny Mexican disease. We had to rent another motel room just so you had another bathroom to use all by yourself."

"But, then again, 1987 was bad too," said Zela. "There were traffic jams and bugs all over. Disney World was so crowded we got our suntans while waiting in line. That was the year we were fighting and hardly spoke to each other for days."

"Well, we know last year wasn't any fun," said Harvey. "Clem got lost in a shopping mall and scared all of us. And then the alligator swallowed our dog whole. What year was it we had the good trip?" Harvey asked.

"Honey, I don't think there was a year where we really had a great vacation in Florida," Zela said. "So why on earth do we keep spending all that money to keep going down there every year?"

Harvey got up from his easy chair, went to the front door and opened it. "Come here, honey. I want to show you something," he said.

She stepped outside in her slippers and looked around through the whirling snow.

"I don't see anything but snow," she said.

"So, do we want to drive down or fly this year?" he asked.

A Look At Our Past

23 Years Ago
March 3, 1966

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Caid and family of Brighton spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Ruth Caid.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Jansen and family spent the weekend before last in Saginaw visiting his sister Mrs. John List and family. On Saturday evening the Jansens and David attended the wedding reception for Karen SanCartier and Frank Kitcho at the community hall in Merrill.

The Norman Stephens, Jr. have a baby girl born February 27, weighing 6 lbs. 12 ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lovely and Paula and friend Nancy Anderson were in St. Louis Saturday, the 19th for the SanCartier-Kitcho wedding and went on to spend the rest of the weekend with their son Roy and family at Milford.

Bill Martin and son Boyd of DeWitt, made a trip to Grayling Friday and visited his in-laws, the Floyd SanCartiers, also picking up the bird dog which Terry had been caring for before he left for the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Miller of Kenosha, Wis., are spending several days at their home on the North Branch.

Miss Carolina Allison left Saturday by plane from Traverse City for Rockton, Ill. to spend a week visiting Mr. and Mrs. A.B. Timmons.

46 Years Ago
March 4, 1943

We've been getting a taste of what Admiral Byrd must have got at Little America. Zero weather here is invigorating - but 40 below zero temperatures are something to sneeze at.

We thought the ten pound pike caught by Charles Jr. a big one, but along comes Grant Thompson, Grayling's A No. 1 fisherman, with a twenty pounder.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hunter of Durand on Feb. 26, a daughter, Larine Clair. The little girl weighed 8 lbs. 6 oz. Mr. and Mrs. William Hunter are the happy grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stancil are the proud parents of a baby boy, Arnold Thomas, born Tuesday. Congratulations.

Grayling's Green Wave completed the regular high school basketball season last Friday night in a blaze of brilliance when they ran wild over a lanky Mancelona quintet 46-16. This victory marks the eighth

consecutive win and should have the local five about right for tournament play which will be held at Gaylord on March 12th, 13th, 19th and 20th. In the preliminary the Grayling Reserves easily defeated a team from Frederic 26-7.

69 Years Ago
March 4, 1920

Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Bauman and Mr. and Mrs. O.W. Hanson and daughters, Ella and Margrethe, will leave soon for Florida for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hendrie of Wolverine have moved back to their home in Bay City.

Mrs. Charles Schreck and little son LeRoy returned Wednesday to Bay City.

Miss Hetty Balhoff of Bay City is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Andrew Balhoff. Billy Miller, son of Mrs. W.J. Miller, is visiting his teacher Miss Alice Austin in West Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Ingram arrived home Monday from Rose City.

Substance Abuse Board Meets

The next regularly scheduled meeting of the Northern Michigan Substance Abuse Services Board of Directors will be held on Monday, March 6, beginning at 10:00 a.m. at the Holiday Inn in Grayling.

Milltown Button Contest Deadline Is March 17

Artists - get out your pen and pencils and win a \$50 cash prize for the winning entry for the Grayling Promotional Association's Milltown button contest. The deadline is March 17. They should be turned in to Betty Bennett, P.O. Box 299, Grayling or to Mac's Drug Store by that date.

Specifications for the drawings are:

1. A round design that could be drawn anywhere from 5" to 2 1/4" in diameter since the design can be reduced in size at the printers.

2. A line drawing; if there is to be color on it, it should be specified as it is easier for the printer to color it than copy the color.

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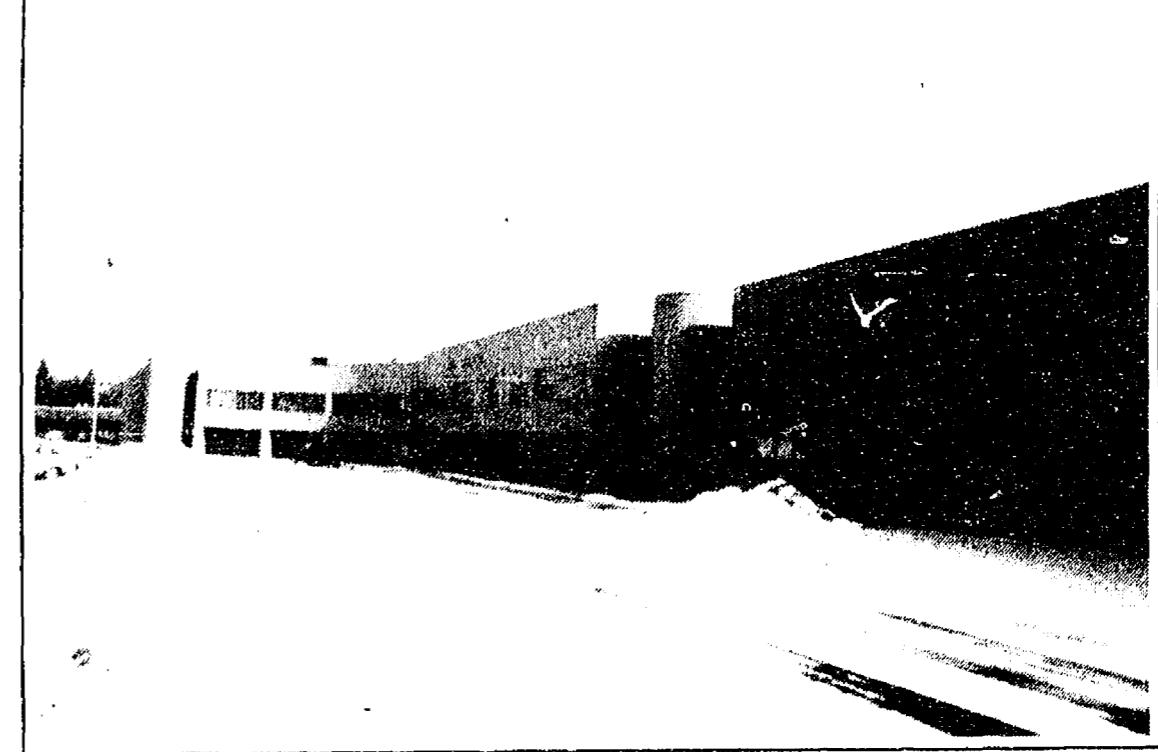
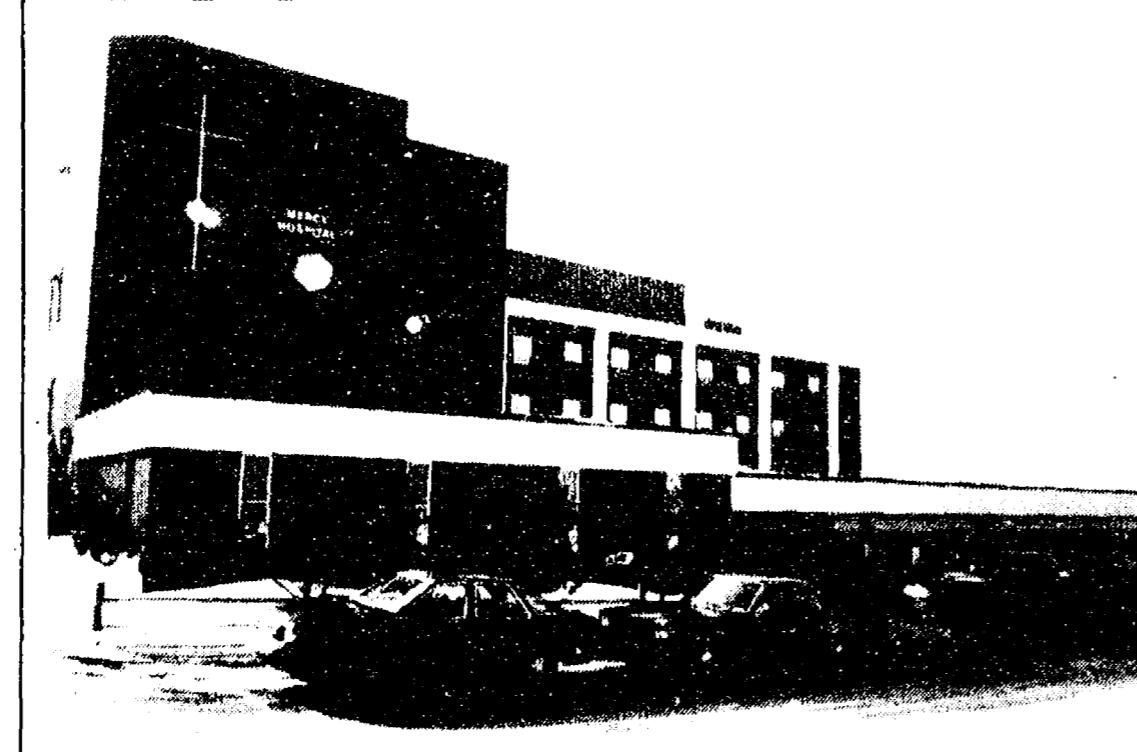
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BEACH PARTY -- Jim Stewart, of Grayling, shovels a wheelbarrow full of sand into the Sawmill downtown for a Beach Party held last Saturday night. Beach attire was required at the mid-winter party.



GREAT FORM -- Craig Stewart shows how easy it is to unload a wheelbarrow of sand. The sand was part of the beach at a "Beach Party" held last Saturday at the Sawmill to beat the mid-winter blues.

Births

Steve and Sandy Lesh of Roscommon are proud to announce the arrival of Rachael Marie on 12-30-88. Rachael weighed 7 lbs. 7 1/2 ozs.

Atul and Suneeta Shah of Grayling are proud to announce the arrival of Dhruv on 1-7-89. Dhruv weighed 7 lbs. 12 1/2 ozs.

Lloyd and Gail Hooper of Roscommon are proud to announce the arrival of Kirk Jeffrey on 1-11-89. Kirk weighed 8 lbs. 7 1/2 ozs.

Warren and Betty Reinhardt of Grayling are proud to announce the arrival of Polly Emma on 1-12-89. Polly weighed 7 lbs. 3 ozs.

John and Kelly Barton of Roscommon are proud to announce the arrival of Megan Arlene on 1-20-89. Megan weighed 7 lbs. 5 ozs.

Martin and Teresa McDaniels of Houghton Lake Heights are proud to announce the arrival of Robert Ernest on 1-21-89. Robert weighed 6 lbs. 11 1/2 ozs.

Ray and Teresa McIntyre of Grayling are proud to announce the arrival of Terri Maerette on 1-24-89. Terri weighed 7 lbs. 6 ozs.

Paul and Bruenette Honor of Roscommon are proud to announce the arrival of Elizabeth on 1-29-89. Elizabeth weighed 8 lbs. 12 ozs.

Cliff and Beth Wheeler of Grayling are proud to announce the arrival of Abby Jo on 1-30-89. Abby Jo weighed 6 lbs. 12 ozs.

Michael and Kimberly Danek of Roscommon are proud

Commission on Aging

Don't forget the Regional Senior Power Day on March 30th. It will be held in Grayling at the High School. Registration, coffee, muffins and juice from 9 a.m. to 10:00; introductions and workshops begin at 10 a.m. Workshops have been set for Insurance, Long-Term Care, Legal, Eye Care, Memory Training, etc. At 11 a.m. there will be a repeat of the above workshops and a box lunch will be served from noon to 1:30. (Meal tickets available at registration with a \$1.50 suggested donation).

There will be a keynote speaker and federal and state legislators will be available for questions and answers. Numerous displays and representatives from various agencies, companies and organizations will have information regarding senior issues, con-

cerns, programs and products at their tables throughout the day.

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Menu and Activities:
Monday, March 6-9:30-Crafts; 10:00-Exercises; 3:00-Songbirds; 5:00-Dinner (Mexican Loaf).

Tuesday, March 7-1:00-Bowling; 1:00-RSVP Cards; 3:00-Kitchen Band practice; 4:30-Salad Bar; 5:00-Dinner (Liver and Onions); 5:30-Catastrophic Insurance information.

Wednesday, Mar. 8-9:00 to 11:00-Walk-in basis Blood Pressures and sugars taken; 10:00-Quilting; 12:30-Swimmercise; 1:00-Stag Party; 5:00-Dinner (Kielbasa on a bun).

Thursday, Mar. 9-2:00-Social Studies; 5:00-Dinner (Spaghetti w/meatballs).

Friday, March 10-10:00-Ladies Card Party; 11:30-South Branch Satellite; 12:00-Dinner (Baked Ham and Sweet Potatoes); 1:00-Sewing.

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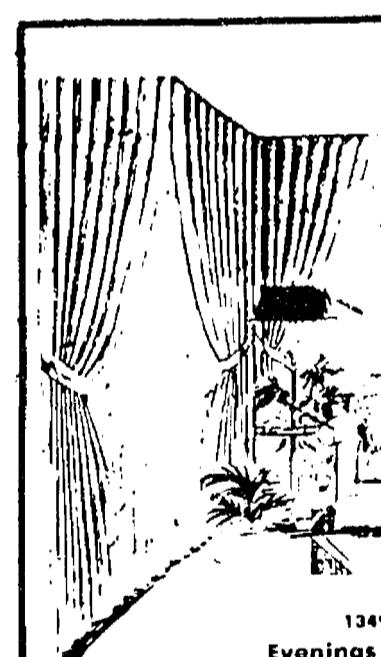
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Hanson Appointed City Treasurer, Tax Administrator

City Manager Jerry W. Morford has announced the appointment of Marilyn M. Hanson as Grayling City Treasurer and City Income Tax Administrator effective March 1, 1989.

Ms. Hanson has been employed by the City of Grayling as Head Bookkeeper since July 25, 1977 and has worked with retiring City Treasurer Allen V. Schreiner to improve, update and automate city financial operations during her tenure.

Ms. Hanson is a native of Alpena but

has lived in the Grayling area for the past 28 years, has 4 children, Mark, Scott, Curt and Karen and 3 grandchildren Amy, Heather and Craig.

The City Manager and City Council look forward to working with Ms. Hanson as we continue to improve and upgrade all aspects of city financial operations. The first order of business for the new Treasurer will be to complete the transfer of all city accounting records to the computer system recently installed in the city office.

Lovells

The Lovells Extension met at the home of Margie Harwood on Wednesday, February 8, with 11 present and a guest, Ms. Esther Hayden. Each member brought a box lunch, and the prize for the prettiest box was won by Carol Gauthier, who also won the 50/50 drawing.

A discussion was held concerning the Arts and Crafts display which will be held in conjunction with our annual Trash and Treasure Sale. There will be a charge of \$5 per table for anyone wishing to present their work.

Some extension members met again at Harwood's home and decorated sweatshirts under the tutelage of Carol Gauthier.

Our next meeting will be on Wednesday, March 8, at the Ladies Clubhouse with Mildred Johnson as hostess. It will be a pot-luck. For roll call, bring a packet of seeds to exchange. A Silent Auction will be held.

NEW CITY TREASURER — City Manager, Jerry Morford, is shown presenting Marilyn Hanson her City Treasurer's nameplate.



Grayling Bands To Play 10 Hour Band-A-Thon

Grayling band students will perform a 10-hour "Surfin' U.S.A." Band-A-Thon Saturday, March 18, from 7:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. at the Middle School multipurpose room.

Band students will begin asking for pledges or donations to

the band on March 6.

Here's the scheduled for the 10-hour event:

7:30 a.m. — Middle School Jazz Band.

8:00 a.m. — Full Band - 7th and 8th Grade Costume Judging.

11:15 a.m. — Guest Conductors - Mr. and Mrs. Dave Holzbauer.

11:45 a.m. — Full Band - 10th Grade Costume Contest.

12:00 noon — One-half band plays (break).

1:00 p.m. — Guest Conductor - Donna Hughes.

1:30 p.m. — Full Band - 11th Grade Costume Contest.

2:30 p.m. — High School Jazz Band.

3:00 p.m. — Full Band - 12th Grade Costume Contest.

4:00 p.m. — Guest Conductor - George Stancil.

4:30 p.m. — Best Costume Contest.

4:45 p.m. — Full Band - Mr. Ormsbee and Linda Denton Conducting.

5:30 p.m. - The End.

Camp Grayling Range Firing

Range firing will be conducted at Camp Grayling in the following areas:

The Small Arms ranges located west of Lake Margrethe, north of Howe Road, east of the gas pipeline and south of Portage Creek. Firing will begin at 8:00 a.m. (Daily) Mar 4 and cease at 5:00 p.m. (Daily) Mar 6, 1989. Firing will also be conducted from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Mar. 8, 1989.

The Small Arms ranges located at Arrowhead Road in Kalkaska County. Firing will begin at 8:00 a.m. (Daily) Mar 6 and cease at 5:00 p.m. (Daily) Mar 7, 1989.

The Range 30 Complex located north of North Down River Road, east of Jones Lake Rd, south of County Rd 612, and west of Damon Truck Trail. Firing will begin at 8:00 a.m. (Daily) Mar 4 and cease at 5:00 p.m. (Daily) Mar 5, 1989. Firing will also be conducted from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Mar 8, 1989.

The Range 40 Complex located North of County Rd 612, East of Guthrie Lake, South of Old State Rd 618, and West of County Rd F97 (Twin Bridge Rd). Firing will begin at 8:00 a.m. (Daily) Mar 1, and cease 5:00 p.m. (Daily) Mar 8, 1989.

Bits of Talk

Jay Ruddy, son of William and Patricia Ruddy, will be returning home on March 17 from Gulfport, Mississippi, after graduation from Basic Training in the Naval Reserve School and attending "A" school. He will be spending one month's reserve training and then will be attending weekend duties for the reserve.

Paul and Lynda Hetrick celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary on Valentine's Day, 1989.

The Hetricks also have a new granddaughter, Shayna Jo Hetrick, who was born on January 31, 1989, in Howell. She weighed 5 pounds 2 ounces and was 18 inches long. She is the daughter of Rick and Monica Hetrick of Fowlerville and joins the family which includes brother, Ian. Besides the Hetricks, Shayna's grandparents are Mrs. and Mrs. Maurice Monroe of Webberville and Mrs. Marcella Hetrick of Fowlerville. Great, great grandfather is Joseph Furmanek of Fowlerville.

Larry and Mo McNamara enjoyed a six-day vacation trip to Epcot Center in Florida. Recent visitors at the McNamara home were their daughter and her son, Mary Liz and Casey of Millburn, New Jersey.

Grayling Police Chief Peter Stephan and Bob Bovee attended a legislative committee meeting in Lansing on Tuesday of last week. On Friday, Pete attended the Northern Michigan Police Chief's meeting in Mackinaw City.

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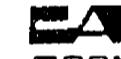
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Volleyball Team Wins For Parents Night Crowd

A larger than usual crowd turned out on Wednesday, Feb. 22, to cheer the Varsity girls volleyball team to victory against a strong Gaylord St. Mary's team. Grayling had to go the distance, five games, but pleased the 'Parents' Night' audience winning the match 15-6, 6-15, 15-12, 13-15, and 15-8.

The Grayling team entered the gym excited, both because it was Parents' Night, and because they recognized Gaylord St. Mary's as a close opponent. Grayling had played a strong match against St. Mary's earlier in the season.

Coach Becky Brown said that the team played strong first game winning 15-6, but suffered from weak serve reception in the second game allowing Gaylord to cruise to an easy 15-6 win as Grayling repeatedly gave up the ball.

According to Brown, Grayling played their best in the third and fourth games, with long rallies:

Deanna Phelps played an excellent game leading the team with serves, attacks, and blocking. "I believe that Grayling is still working toward realizing their potential," Brown said.



Deanna Phelps



Patti Tremblay



Sheryl Klinger

Phelps had led serves with 19, Lisa Kimball had 17, Patti Tremblay 13, Sheryl Klinger 12, Heather Stephenson 11, Margarita Perez 8, Cheryl Barber and Heather Pelton 4 each, and Tammy Duby had 1.

Klinger led all setters with 44.

Attacks: Phelps had 15 for 16 spikes and 10 tips, Tremblay had 14 spikes and 7 tips, Klinger had 8 spikes and 7 tips, Perez had 7 spikes, and Stephenson had 9 tips.

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League Meet Tougher Than Regionals for GHS

Wednesday, Feb. 22, the Vikings skied a make-up league meet rescheduled from February 8.

The league champs in both girls' and boys' events again were Petoskey. The margin of victory was much closer as Petoskey's girls beat Harbor Springs by one point.

Sophomore, Tony DiPonio, also did well, placing 30th in slalom and 21st in giant slalom. Junior, John Kraus placing 40th in slalom.

The Viking ski team will have a Dessert Awards Banquet late in March to recognize the skiers' effort for the season.

Sports

Grayling Basketball League

Final Standings

Lehman	0-1
Old State Gas & Oil	8-2
Cornell Realty/Cheif Shoppenagons	7-3
Patti's Towne House/John-Al Construction	4-6
Weyerhaeuser	1-9
Holiday Inn/Farm Bureau	1-9
Lehman 10/2 Packer 28, Johnson 26, Blanks 15, Upshaw 12, Mullice 11, Ridgeway Bey 8, Ruffin 4.	
Old State 98/ Joe Bush 31, David 14, Walker 9, John Bush 8, Dudley 8, Owens 8, Au 7, Payne 6, Kirt 3.	
Cornell/Hotel 90/ Hinkle 28, Upton 21, Croze 13, White 11, Burkett 9, Thompson 4, Madsen 2, Tobin 2.	
Weyerhaeuser 58/ Asman 15, Lincoln 10, McEvers 8, Pollen 8, M. Zacy 7, Summers 6, F. Zacy 2.	
Patti's/John-Al Construction 7/ Hull 15, Krey 13, Stewart 12, Juntilia 12, K. Potter 6, Middleton 6, Gardiner 4, Gothro 2, J. Potter 1.	
Holiday Inn/Farm Bureau 59/ Hamlin 15, Cross 12, Smith 10, Dunckley 9, Bindschatel 6, Dean 3, Fagan 3, Hinkle 15,8, Hull 12,8.	

2nd round of tournament games Wed., March 8 - 8:00 p.m. Lehman vs. Holiday Inn/Farm Bureau; 9:15 2-5 vs. 3-4 winner.

Eye Care News

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CHOOSING THE RIGHT CONTACT LENS

QUESTION: How does a person know what type of contact lens to choose?

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Local Residents Attend Winter Special Olympics



SNOWSHOE RACE — Hilary Modica, of Grayling, competing at Winter Olympics.

Thirty-five athletes and coaches from Area 4 were part of the 800 participants in this year's Michigan Special Olympics winter games at Sugarloaf Resort. The event, which was held February 7-10, saw the local athletes return with a total of 24 medals. The Area 4 athletes come from Oscoda, Roscommon, Crawford, and Ogemaw counties.

The four-day event was plagued with high winds and cold temperatures dropping the wind chill factor to nearly -30°. Each athlete competed in time

trials and two races. All events were held as scheduled, despite the bitter cold temperatures. Leading the Grayling area athletes was Jerry Harris, who captured a gold and silver medals in downhill skiing and Helen Milliken earned two bronze medals in Nordic skiing. Other area athletes winning medals were: Crystal Daniels (bronze - Nordic skiing), Tommy Drouillard (bronze - downhill skiing), David Hutt (bronze - Nordic skiing), Hilary Modica (bronze - snowshoeing), Todd Robertson (gold - downhill skiing). Ribbons were

awarded to Frank Schoen, Karen Strachan, and Gary Daniels.

Besides the competition, other highlights of the event included the opening ceremonies with fireworks and a surprise visit from Mrs. Eunice Kennedy Shriver, who is the Executive Director of Special Olympics in Washington, D.C.

Athletes were able to meet professional athletes Jeff Chadwick and Rob Rubick of the Detroit Lions and Rich Stringer, Buffalo Bills, who were on hand to present medals to the winning athletes.

DOWNSHILL SKIERS — (L-R) Chris Wylie, Todd Robertson, and Tommy Drouillard at Winter Olympics.



9 Crawford Co. Avalanche Thurs., March 2, 1989



Strangely enough, one of the greatest scorers in the history of basketball is hardly remembered today...He was Clarence (Bevo) Francis who played for Rio Grande College in Ohio in 1953-54. In one game Francis scored 113 points...In another he scored 116 as he set all-time records...Francis then left school and faded from view—but his college scoring records have never been topped.

* * * * * One of the unusual auto races of all-time was the 1952 Florida Stock Car championship...A car was in first place near the end of the race when its wheels came off...The car flipped over—but crossed the finish line first, skidding on its top across the line!

* * * * * Amazingly, there's only one team in the country that's played in the NCAA basketball tournament and NEVER lost a game in that tournament...Stanford entered the NCAA tourney in 1942 and won each of their games that year including the final, championship game...They've never played in the NCAA tournament since then...Meanwhile, all other teams that have been in the NCAA tourney have lost at least one game in some year—so Stanford stands alone as the ONLY school to compete and never lose in the NCAA tournament.

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GMS Wrestlers Win 15 Medals

The Grayling Middle School Wrestling team traveled to Gladwin Saturday and returned with 15 medal winners out of 26 participants. In the 11 and 12 year old age group, Danny Weaver placed 2nd at 65 lbs., Tom Oberg and Kenny Kent both placed 2nd at 75 lbs. and Scott Ramsey was 3rd. At 133 lbs., Jason Seecord placed 2nd.

In the 13 and 14 year old age bracket, Greg Dorman and David Wildfang placed 2nd and 3rd respectively at 114 lbs. Sam Mack placed 1st and Ben

GMS Yearbooks On Sale Now

The Grayling Middle School Yearbooks are on sale this week, February 27 - March 3. The cost is \$5.50 for a 36-page book. Students should bring the money in this week to order one. Yearbooks will also be on sale during the Parent Student Game Night, March 1.

Bowling Leagues

NORTHWOOD LEAGUE
1. Bubble's Belles 27
2. Down River Pines 27
3. Laurines 24
4. Parsons Adv. 24
5. Helsel's Firewood 22
6. Goodale's Bakery 18
7. Grayling Floor Covering 17
8. Newlife 17
High Series: J. Hinds 201-213, S. Roman 202, C. Bellinger 194
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THURS. MORNING COFFEE L.
1. Parsons 28
2. Plaza 25
3. Spike's 23
4. Cedar 19
5. Grayling Floor Covering 18
6. Available Conat. 17
7. Gated 16
8. Gated 14
High Game: M. Campfield 203, A. Mathey 180, T. Papendick 177
High Series: M. Campfield 208, S. Roman 188, A. Mathey 171

SENIOR CITIZENS

1. Flowers by Jose 58
2. McLean's Hardware 56
3. Buccilli's Pizza 53
4. Larry & Joan's 51
5. Great Lakes Federal 50
6. Cornell Insurance 44
7. Ernite's Flea Market 43
8. R. & H. Sports 29
9. R. & H. Sports 28
High Series: E. Wilde 564, G. Wolfe 512, T. McCoy 507
High Game: E. Wilde 217, T. McCoy 489, D. Bellanger 446
High Series: B. Pryor 589, B. Cline 179
SUNDAY NITE MIXED DOUBLES

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1. Skip's 23
2. McLean's Ace 23
3. Patti's Towne House 20
4. Fenton's Auto Service 18
5. Northland Appliance 17
6. Willets Carpet 16
7. American Legion 14
High Series: M. Keir 588, T. Grant 541, D. White 531
High Game: R. Flowers 211, D. Knasel 210, M. Keir 205

WOMEN'S POOL LEAGUE

\$500 LIONS

Winner Named

Greg Ball won the \$500 Grayling Lions Club drawing on Friday, Feb. 24.

Milltown Pool League

500 LIONS

MAPLE FOREST TOWNSHIP

BOARD OF REVIEW

Maple Forest Township Board of Review will meet at the township hall at Sherman and Marker Rds. on March 7th, 9 a.m.-12 p.m. and 1 p.m.-4 p.m. and again on March 11th, 9 a.m.-12 p.m. and again on March 13th, 1 p.m.-4 p.m. and 6 p.m.-9 p.m.

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Crawford County Treasurer

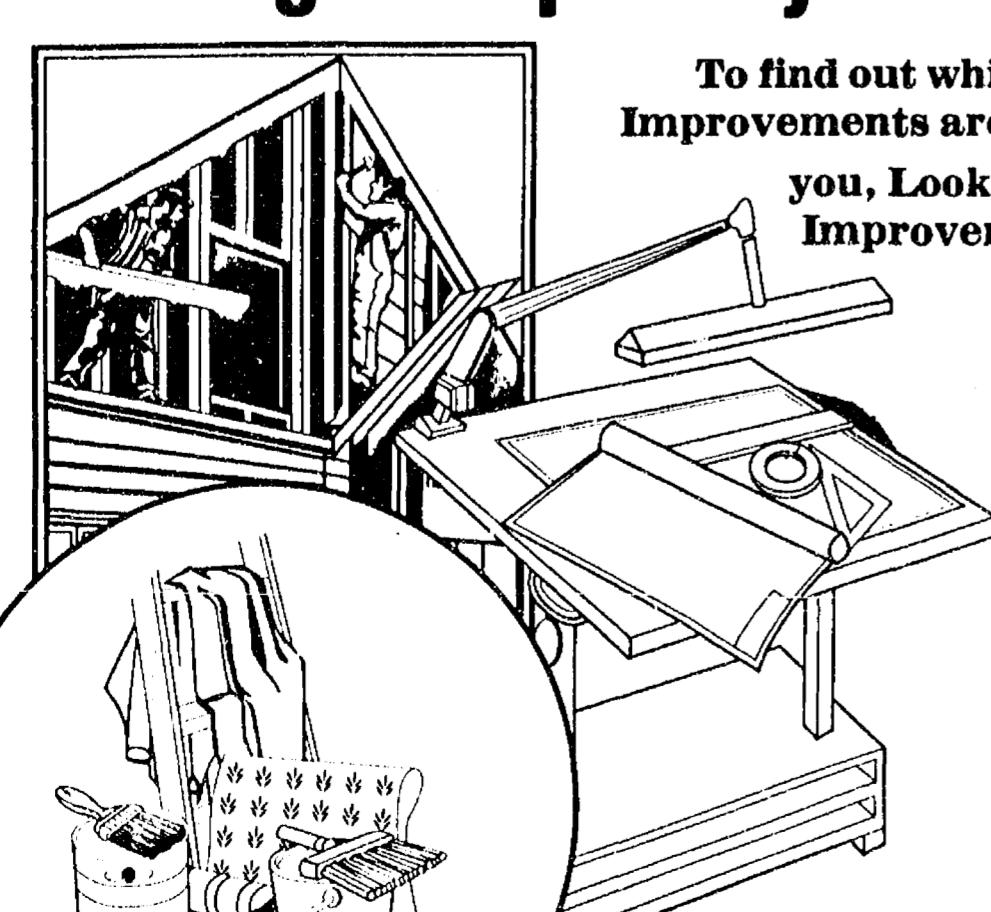
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If your business deals with Home Improvement, you won't want to be left out of this Special Section. Call Kim McClain, 348-6811, before the March 31st deadline.

RECREATION LEAGUE

1. Oxbow Club	21
2. Al Bennett	19
3. Davsons	18
4. Chemical Bank	17
5. Bear's Country Inn	15
6. Skip's Party Shop	14
7. Amer. Legion Aux.	13
8. Avalanche	12
High Series: B. Pryor 543, J. Hinds 539, J. Jones 519	10
High Game: J. Hartman 200, B. Grant 193, K. Ashton 191	10
FRIDAY NIGHT MIXED DOUBLES	18
1. Custom Interiors	18
2. Mosher's Sales & Service	18
3. CSI	18
4. Cal Schreiber Builders	16
5. Airway Automation	14
6. JDJ	12
High Series: D. McClanahan 407, T. Brooks 490, C. Campbell 484	12
High Game: D. McClanahan 206, T. Brooks 191, B. Mather 182	12
High Series: K. Vandecar 449, M. McClanahan 442, N. Glassie 432, F. Brooks 165, K. Vandecar 163	12
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2. O'Dell Party Store	18
3. Holiday Inn	18
4. Bear's Country Inn	17
5. O'Dell's Inn	16
6. Mickey Perez C.I.A.	13
7. Glen's Market	9
High Game: D. Christman 193, S. Nicholas 192, D. Labiak 178	9

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County Dog Census Starts This Week

The Crawford County Board of Commissioners has approved a County Dog Census, which will begin the week of February 27th and be completed by June 1st.

The census will be conducted by Dixie Lobsinger, assistant to the Animal Control Officer, working from the Crawford County Sheriff Department. Officer Lobsinger will be canvassing the County, door-to-door, when she is not working at the shelter. This will include evenings and weekends. She will have licenses and residents owning dogs with current rabies vaccines will be able to purchase their animal license during the census.

County treasurer, Joe Wakeley, said that under Michigan law, the County has until June 15th to review the results of the dog census and compile a list of owners with unlicensed dogs, and file the list with the Prosecuting Attorney's office. A few of these advantages are:

The census will locate all residents who own dogs, licensed and unlicensed. Wakeley said that in the past, residents who have purchased dog licenses have actually been penalized because nothing has ever been done to the estimated 50 percent dog owners who did not license their dogs.

Crawford County dogs would have up-to-

date rabies vaccines, because to purchase a license owners must produce proof of current rabies vaccine.

The census will establish a record so that lost animals can be returned to their owners.

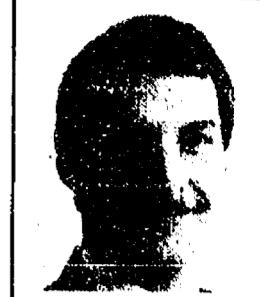
Finally it will generate County revenues. Wakeley stated that residents can still purchase their 1989 dog licenses for \$3.00 for males and unsexed dogs and \$5.00 for females. After March 1st these fees will double.

Birth Announced

Dan and Sandi (Mires) Beckwith of Traverse City are proud to announce the birth of a daughter, Sydney Lynn, born Feb. 5. She weighed 8 lbs. 11 ozs. and was 22 inches long.

Grandparents are Chuck and Linda Mires of Roscommon and Jack and Ruth Beckwith of Grayling. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Don Smock of Grayling, Mrs. Clara Mires of Port Huron, and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis O'Brien of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich.

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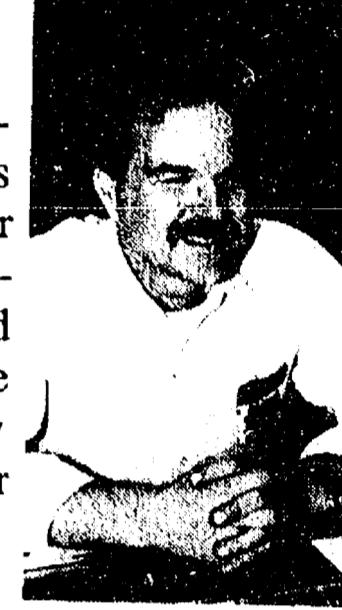
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50th ANNIVERSARY - You are invited to attend a 50th wedding anniversary open house for Eleanor and Pearlie White at Calvary Baptist Church on March 11th from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

Lovells News

By Ruth Cald

Mrs. Claudia Jones returned home last week after visiting her son, Thad, and family in California.

The Cheerful Givers Club will meet at the club room Thursday evening at 7:30.

Mrs. Margie Harwood hosted the card party Saturday evening. Prizes were won by Hazel Koernke, Alice Campau, Elinor Wikoff, Bill Koernke, John Campau, and Marvin Wikoff. Mrs. Edith Maki will have the party this Saturday.

E.J. Coulter had a dinner party on Friday evening. His guests were Doris Payne, Louie and Janice Wilde, and Gary and Jeanie Boyd. After a lovely dinner, the evening progressed into a Euchre card game, and everyone had a great time.

Full Gospel Businessmen Group Meets

The Full Gospel Businessmen's Fellowship speaker for March is Rod Denley. He and his wife and 4 children reside in Roscommon. Rod has a burden for the youth and has worked with juveniles for the last 15-16 years. He is currently employed at Camp Lehman as a crew foreman.

Dinner will be held at 7:00 p.m. March 3rd at Bear's Country Inn with the meeting at 8:00 p.m.

A special fellowship breakfast just for men will be held at 7:00 a.m. March 11 at Bear's.

CANADA

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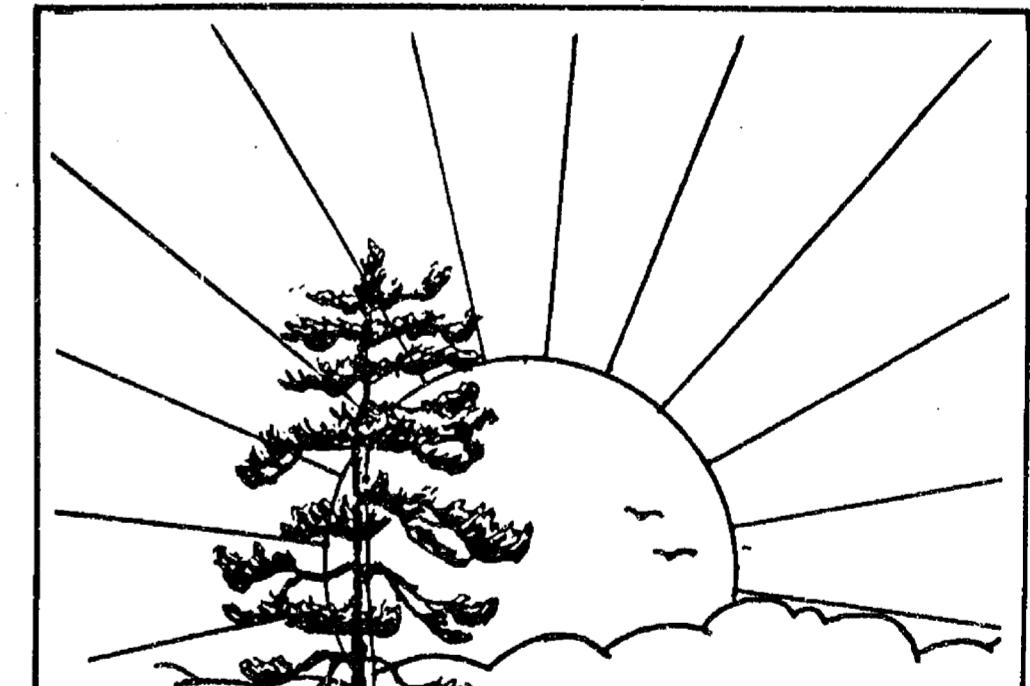
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Editor's Quote Book

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GPA Elects New Officers

Jerry VanSickle was elected the new president of the Grayling Promotional Association at the annual election held at the regular meeting at the Chief Shoppenagon's on Tuesday, February 21, 1989. Assisting her will be Karen Brewer, vice president, Sherry Hanson, secretary, and Aggie Trudgeon, treasurer.

Following are the tentative ratios and factor for all classes of property in Grayling Township:

	Ratio	Factor
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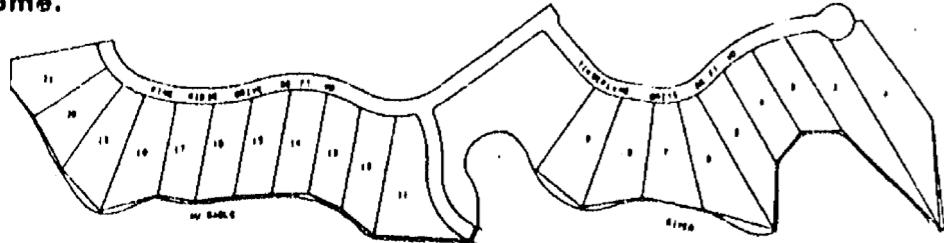
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Puppet Show, Workshops At St. John March 11

The people of St. John Lutheran Church invite you to join them on Saturday, March 11, as they present the Altar Egos, a Christian puppeteer group from Zion Lutheran Church, Freeland, Michigan.

The group will con-

duct Workshops on Saturday afternoon at 2:00 p.m. and present a Puppet Show at 7:00 p.m. The workshops will demonstrate how to build stages and how to operate puppets. They are open to any-

one interested in learning these skills. The 7:00 p.m. performance will be preceded by a ham dinner at 5:30. Tickets at the door are \$3.50 or if purchased in advance are only \$3 for adults. For more information call 348-5224.

Bits of Talk

By Fay Bovee
348-0717

Bob M., you only have one more week before the big 50!

Jill Wyman and her daughter, Dawn, were in Toledo and Columbus, Ohio, recently to attend some quilt and gift shows.

Terry Wright and his

son, Joel, drove to Florida to spend ten days visiting his mother, Mrs. Roberta Wright, at Arcadia. Joel had a chance to go swimming in the ocean which he enjoyed.

Mrs. Rose Gunder-
son hosted the Lutheran Church Women on Thursday, February 23.

Mrs. Elsie Jansen hosted the Tuesday Bridge Club on Valentine's Day.

Bob and Susan Mc-
Curdy and family and Wayne and Nancy Wells and family spent weekend before last in Canada at the McCurdy's cabin. The families had to take the train in where they were dropped off on Friday and picked up again on Sunday. It was the first time the children had a chance to go ice fishing there.

Some members of the class of 1954 of Grayling High School held a get-together last weekend at the home of Jim and Phyllis Bond in Lansing. Attending were Carl and Rose Hatfield, George and Rita McEvers, Nancy and Bill Cox, all of Grayling, Roger and Phyllis Kesseler of Midland, Sylvia and Gerry Krausz of Port-

Preceded in death by his father, Paul Crawford. Survivors include his wife, Nettie Winkler-Crawford of Grayling Township, mother, Mabel (Kellogg) Crawford, 3 sons, Lloyd Winkler, at home, Carl Crawford of Portland Oregon, and Ronnie Crawford, also of Portland, Oregon; 2 sisters, Norma Francisco of Blountstown, Florida, and Anita Myer of Troy; 4 brothers, James Crawford of Royal Oak, Glenn Crawford of Trenton, Missouri, Lloyd Crawford of Grayling, and Paul Crawford of Lima, Ohio.

Funeral services were held Tuesday, February 28, 1989 at 11:00 at Sorenson Funeral Home, McEvers Chapel, Grayling, with Mr. Paul Crawford officiating. Pallbearers were, Edward Papendick, James Sheldon, Mike McEvers, Larry LaMotte, Gerald Owens, and Rick Williams. Honorary pallbearers were, James Crawford, Jerry Terry, Jack Morris, Frank Morris, Duane LaMotte, Tom Streh, Randy Molitor, Terry Shepherd, Jeff Kellogg, Allen Carr, Jr., Thomas Wylie, and Minard Harwood.

John Griffith, John Kevin Griffith, age 1, died Saturday, February 25, 1989, at Mercy Hospital. He has lived with his parents, John Kevin Baldwin and Elvera Griffith in Beaver Creek Township.

Survivors include his parents, one brother, Dominic Griffith, at home, 1 sister, Katrina Griffith, at home, grandparents, Victor and Peggy Rice of Beaver Creek, and Jean Rice of Grayling. Violet Baldwin of Burton, Michigan, and several aunts, uncles, and cousins.

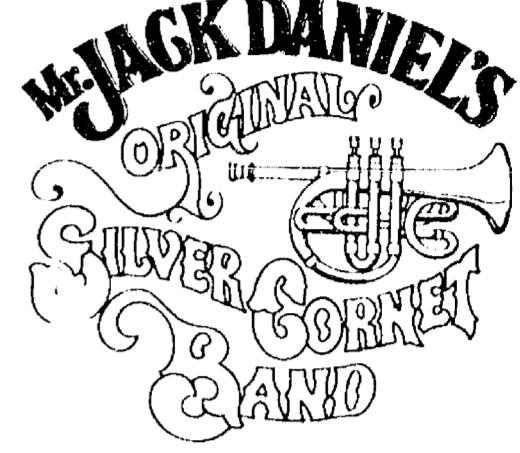
Funeral services were held Monday, February 27, 1989, at 1:00 at Sorenson Funeral Home, McEvers Chapel with the Rev. Gerald Micketti officiating. Burial was in Beaver Creek Cemetery, Crawford County.

land, Tom and Mary Kierney of Lathrop Village and Caroline and Roger Hall of Holt.

Gary and Diane Christensen of Novi spent weekend before last visiting her mother, Mrs. Muriel Latuszek and other family members.

Mr. and Mrs. Monty Bidwell and son, Todd, left Friday for a relaxing couple of weeks in Florida. They will be returning sometime next week, with stopovers in Detroit to see their son, Monty and daughter, Gina.

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8	North Shore	Yogi Bear Smurfs			Mr. Rogers Zoo	Father Knows Hazel					Hillbillies Bewitched
9	The Squeeze	Little House On Prairie	Sally Jessy Raphael	Happy Trolls	Sesame Street	Our House	Newlywed Sweethearts	Dukes Of Hazzard	Group 1 Med. Wipe Out	Smurfs	Group 1 Med. Wipe Out
10	Mom's Break	Hillbillies	Sale-Contury Concentrator	Theatre Pandango	Contact Square One	Nature	W/Connect Hollywood	Skinhead's	Skiing	Smurfs	Hillbillies
11	Kidco	700 Club	W/Fortune Win/Lose	Country Crook/Chase	Straight	Home	Family Feud	Family Feud	Family Feud	Smurfs	W/Connect Hollywood
12	I Love Lucy A. Griffith	News Scrabble	Amer. Mag Fandango	Space Workers	Talk Kitchen	Grow/Pains Loving	Midday Young And	BodyMotion Bodyshopping	Perry Mason	Charlie's Angels	Family Feud
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11	Ray Marion	Little Monsters	Fat Albert	Wh/Fortune Win/Lose	Orion's Little Monsters	Rock Bottom	Fisherman	Homey Team	SportsCenter	Gunsmoke	Gunsmoke
12	The Trolls	War Of The Worlds	P/Brewster Ed Grimley	Outdoors Country Music	Crack Ups	Soul Train	Mighty Mouse	Monsters	Gunsmoke	Gunsmoke	Gunsmoke
1	Legend Of	Movie	Business Gateway	Country Clips	Strip	Basketball: Illinois Vs. Indiana	Movie: Bruce Lee	CBS Sports Special	Baja 1000 Off Road	"The"	"The"
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The Bible Speaks

From Calvary Baptist Church

The Gospel of John

Part #67

Footwashing Love

Our Lord Jesus Christ washing the dirty feet of his disciples, manifested His love for His own disciples just prior to His death on the cross as their pass-over sacrifice for their sins. (John 13:1). As the Son of God, He stood in stark contrast to Judas Iscarlot who became Satan incarnate. Judas was a self-serving, hypocritical liar who betrayed His best friend. Jesus Christ is the incarnate God of love who sacrificed His own life for our eternal salvation. (John 13:2). As eternal God, all power was in His hands as He washed the disciple's feet. (John 13:3).

As sovereign God with all His power and glory, Jesus Christ humbled Himself and revealed His love as a servant. "He riseth from supper, and laid aside his garments; and took a towel, and girded himself. After that he poureth water into a basin, and began to wash the disciples' feet, and to wipe them with the towel where-with he was girded." (John 13:4, 5). His work as our servant reached unto the pinnacle of Calvary's cross where He washed us from our sins in His own blood. (Rev. 1:5). (See also Phil. 2:5-8).

John in this account reminds us that our sovereign God became our servant, that He might become our savior. Simon Peter raised a question about Christ washing his feet. (John 13:6). Jesus reminded him that he would not understand this ministry until after He had completed His earthly work.

Pastor "B"

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NOTICE

Beaver Creek Township is taking applications for the position of Township Sexton. Job Description is available at the Township Hall Monday thru Friday, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. All applications must be received by March 3, 1989.

Florence Nelson, Clerk -16-23-1-

FREDERIC TOWNSHIP BOARD OF REVIEW

Frederic Township Board of Review will meet:

1st Meeting- When: March 7 & 8, 1989; Time: 9 a.m.-12 Noon/1 p.m. to 5 p.m.; Where: Frederic Township Hall, 7564 Kelly Avenue. Purpose of meeting: To review Assessment Roll.

2nd Meeting- When: March 13, 14 and 18, 1989; Time: 9 a.m. to 12 Noon/1 p.m. to 5 p.m.; Where: Frederic Township Hall, 7564 Kelly Avenue. Purpose of meeting: To meet with taxpayers.

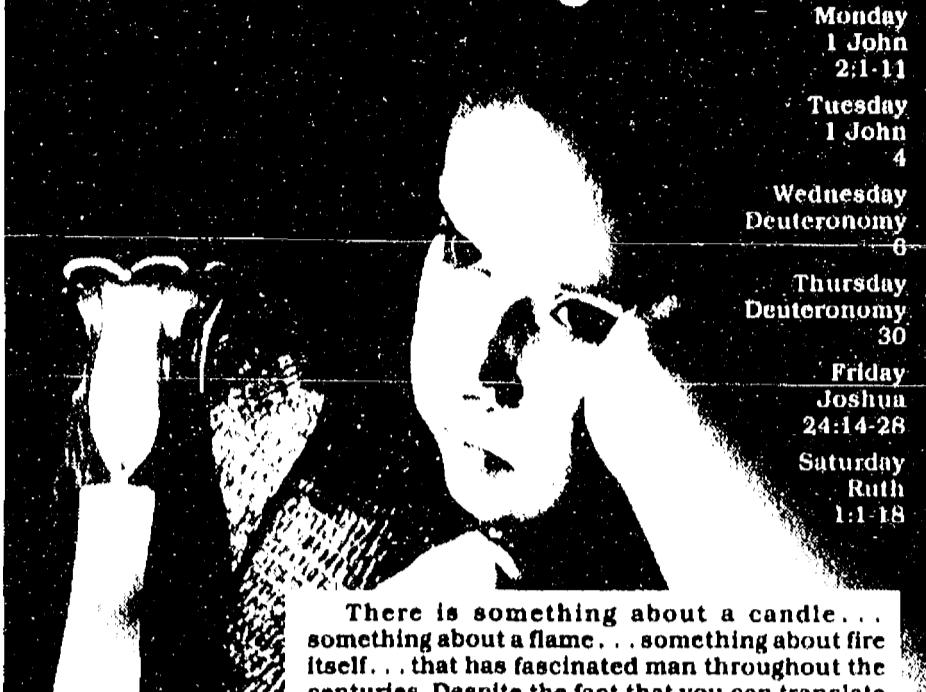
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Road Commission Minutes

January 20, 1989

A regular meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission was held in their office in Grayling. Present were: Chairman Norman Parker, Commissioner Clyde Anthony, Engineer-Manager John Keir, Accounting Clerk Joanne Thompson, Chairman of Roads & Bridges Bob Nelson. Absent: Commissioner Gloria Kraus.

The minutes of the previous meeting of January 6, 1989 were read. Chairman Parker made a motion to accept the minutes as read, seconded by Commissioner Anthony. All voted in favor, minutes approved.

Payment Voucher Number 1 in the amount of \$28,074.62 and Materials checks numbered 14841 through 14811 in the amount of \$86,107.66 were presented to the Board for approval of payment. Commissioner Anthony made a motion to accept the vouchers, seconded by Chairman Parker.

Permit reviewed and signed were: Hosking Geophysical to conduct a seismic survey in Beaver Creek and Grayling Townships; Shell Western to conduct a seismic survey in Maple Forest Township; GTE to bury communication cable along Cameron Bridge Road in Frederic Township and Seligraph Service Corporation to conduct a seismic survey in South Branch Township.

The Board reviewed and signed the tentative plats of East Branch River Acres and East Branch Acres.

Various correspondence and committed capital outlay was reviewed. Equipment needs, local road projects and FAS projects were discussed.

Engineer-Manager Keir informed the Board of the Upper Peninsula Road Builders Meeting to be held in Marquette.

Upon returning from lunch break the Board held interviews with seven applicants to fill truck driver vacancies.

There being no further business before the Board a motion was made and seconded to adjourn. All voted in favor, meeting adjourned.

Joanne Thompson Accounting Clerk

Norman F. Parker Chairman

Grayling Township Board

Regular Meeting - February 14, 1989

Members present: John Medler, Ruth O'Mara, Monica Ashton, Arnold Stancil. Members absent: Mike McNamara.

Guests: Margo Rembowski, Dawn Liberty, Heidi Stephenson, Ann Moshier, Lauri Goss.

Supervisor Stancil called the public hearing to receive and review comments on the Evergreen Drive Special Assessment Roll to order at 7:00 p.m.

There were no comments for or against the project from citizens present.

A letter was read from Delphine Charest opposing the blacktopping as not being beneficial to her corner lot as her access is off Stephan Bridge Road. She requests that the Special Assessment District absorb the cost of creating an access to Evergreen Drive from her property.

Motion by Ashton, support by O'Mara, to close public hearing. Ayes: four; Absent: one. Motion carried. (7:20 p.m.)

Supervisor called the regular meeting of the Grayling Township Board to order at 7:30 p.m.

Motion by Medler, support by Ashton, to approve the minutes of January 10, 1989, with the following correction. Item 8: Medler; Nay; Ayes: four; Absent: one. Motion carried.

Motion by Ashton, support by Medler, to accept the Treasurer's report as presented. Ayes: four; absent: one. Motion carried.

No-action Correspondence: Crawford Co. Sheriff's Dept. Report 11/88, Grayling City and Township Fire Dept. Report 1/89, DNR Permit: Bright and Glory Lakes Outlet culvert, M-98, E.R. Corporation: snow removal.

BUSINESS:

1. Motion by Medler, support by O'Mara, that the following be adopted approving Evergreen Drive Special Assessment Roll for blacktopping and noted that it is the consensus of this board that the creation of blacktopping any private driveway or access would be at the individual property owners expense as has previously been the rule.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Grayling Township Board has received a petition for certain improvements (blacktopping) to Evergreen Drive which runs east off Stephan Bridge Road north of the AuSable River in Section 5, T26N, R2W, and

WHEREAS, on December 18, 1988, at 8:00 p.m. in Grayling Township Offices, M-72 West Plaza, a public hearing was held to receive and review public opinion regarding approval of a proposed Special Assessment District to spread the cost of the blacktopping among property owners fronting on Evergreen Drive or using same for access, and

WHEREAS, subsequent to said public hearing the Grayling Township Board voted unanimously to create a Special Assessment District to blacktop Evergreen Drive, and

WHEREAS, a second public hearing to hear and review the proposed Special Assessment Roll was scheduled for and held on February 14, 1989 at 7:00 p.m. at the Grayling Township Hall.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Grayling Township Board hereby approves the Special Assessment Roll for Evergreen Drive, Section 5, T26N, R2W, and authorizes the project to proceed.

Ayes: four, Nays: none, Absent: M. McNamara. Resolution adopted.

2. Discussion of Grayling Township Board member appointment to the Planning Commission. Motion by Medler, support by O'Mara, to table until full Board is present. Ayes: four, absent: one. Motion carried.

3. Motion by Ashton, support by Medler, to remove the Blue Cross/Blue Shield question of whether spouses of deceased retirees may continue coverage under our group be removed from the table. Ayes: four, absent: one. Motion carried.

The answer has finally been received and is as follows: Surviving members, upon the demise of retiree subscribers will be allowed to continue as Group Conversion Subscribers.

4. Motion by O'Mara, support by Ashton, that N.M.C.O.A. dues be the responsibility of the electrical inspector if he chooses to continue his membership. Ayes: four, absent: one. Motion carried.

5. Electrical bids for repairing lightning damage at the Township Hall have been forwarded to North Michigan Land & Oil's insurance company as instructed by Dale Nielson.

6. Motion by Medler, support by O'Mara, to schedule a public hearing in April regarding creation of a Special Assessment District to blacktop Portage Avenue at Lake Margaret as, once again, the petition has signatures of a majority of property owners. John Keir, Road Commissioner, Engineer and Draftsman will be requested to attend. Ayes: four, absent: one. Motion carried.

7. Motion by O'Mara, support by Medler, to approve the splitting of parcel 20-045-300-006-008-00 as proposed by Stancil. Parcel 20-045-300-006-010-00 A.K.A. Lots 10, 11, and the SW 1/4 of Lot Nine, Block 6, Grayling Park Subdivision. The change eliminates non-conformity caused by the structure which straddled the property line between lots 9 & 10. Both parcels conform to requirements of the R-2 Zone. Ayes: four, Nays: none, absent: one. Motion carried.

8. Reports written and on file: Supervisor/Assessing, Building Dept., C.C.T.A., GRA, Planning Commission.

9. Board members received copies of 1987-88 Annual Report prepared by Mickey Perez, C.P.A. and 1-31-89 Budget Comparison of Revenues and Expenditures prepared by Clerk Ashton.

10. Motion by O'Mara, support by Ashton, to approve payment of bills on vouchers 11145, 11146, 11158 through 11202 and 11213 in the amount of \$19,220.17. Ayes: four, Nays: none, absent: one. Motion carried.

11. Motion to adjourn by Ashton, support by Medler. Motion carried.

Monica S. Ashton, CMC

MAPLE FOREST TOWNSHIP NOTICE

A Budget Hearing will be held on Tuesday, March 14, 1989 at 7:30 p.m. at the township hall. At such time in addition to regular business and in accordance with the law, budgets covering estimated revenues and proposed expenditures of the township shall be submitted for consideration.

Susan Keene
Township Clerk

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Crawford County Board of Commissioners

January 26, 1989 Regular Meeting

SYNOPSIS

The Regular Meeting of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners was held on the 26th day of January, 1989 at 9:40 a.m. in the city of Grayling.

Commissioners present: Kitchen, Harland, Nelson, Callewaert, Ruddy, Coy and McLachlan. County Clerk Elizabeth Wieland present. There were 15 visitors present at various times.

IN FORMAL ACTION, COMMISSIONERS:

Accepted the minutes of the 12-29-88 Regular Meeting, Organizational Meeting of 1-3-89 and 1-10-89 Regular Meeting.

Accepted 13 pieces of communications.

Submitted a response to MI State Housing Development Authority reflecting the action taken by the Housing Commission on the issues raised in the 1987 audit report.

Accepted the low bid from Larry Porter - Ford/Mercury of Roscommon for the lease of three patrol vehicles on a three year lease agreement in the amount of \$1,404.57 per month.

Continued life insurance benefits for the Sheriff and Undersheriff the same as other law enforcement officers in the Department.

Authorized the Clerk to order the hardware and software necessary to expand the Deed's Office computer to 40 megabytes.

Approved a step increase for the clerical employee in the Cooperative Extension Service.

Approved a request for temporary help in the Clerk's office while a deputy is on medical leave.

Authorized District Court to order the necessary receipts and ledgers for the court at an estimated cost of \$750.00.

Entered into a letter of understanding with P.O.A.M. Bargaining Unit to grant uniform cleaning allowance of \$300.00 per year-one half January 1 and the balance July 1.

Allowed placement of canisters in the local business establishments to collect donations for enforcement of drug laws for participants of all law enforcement officers.

Approved the following transfers from the General Fund: to Child Care Fund \$35,000.00, to Law Library Fund \$3,500.00, to Soldier/Sailors Relief Fund \$200.00 and from the Revolving Fund to General Fund \$190,000.00 for 1988 as requested.

Supported the Fish Hatchery Committee's concept and authorized locating a Parks and Recreation student to draft a Master Site Plan for the Fish Hatchery property, providing no financial commitment is made on behalf of the County.

Accepted the recommendation of Labor and Personnel Committee and accepted the Wage & Salary Program completed by Hardwick and Assoc.

Lifted the freeze on new hires and/or replacements and authorized the Prosecutor to fill the vacancy in the Crime Victim's Rights Act.

Approved payment of \$6,437.11 in Ambulance bills for 1988 and 1989.

Adopted a policy requiring sealed bids on equipment over \$1,000.00 from all departments to be opened by the Ways and Means Committee, or full Board of Commissioners.

Created a Special Committee to pursue and recommend some type of position for administration of negotiations, purchases and etc.

IN OTHER BUSINESS, COMMISSIONERS:

Learned the Landfill will be using a double liner/detection system rather than a tracer for monitoring the trenches. The DNR said if this measure is complied with, the license will be granted.

Were informed that a sewer project for the city of Grayling was approved. It is currently at capacity and must be expanded.

Heard an update on the recycling program. Plastic containers, tin cans and newspapers are being collected in addition to cardboard. More education on recyclables is needed. A spring cleanup of hazardous waste products will be scheduled for spring as a grant for disposal has been received.

Listened to a report on Sheriff Dept. activities. An agreement was made with Camp Grayling regarding AWOL persons. The Drug Abuse Resistance Education Program was discussed. This how to say "NO" to drugs program is presented to 5th graders. The Board was informed that Sheriff Hatfield reduced his annual salary \$1200.00 for his term, as he promised.

Learned the second new ambulance chassis will be delivered about February 11th.

Were given a brief resume of services by Bernie Dunning, Adm. Supervisor and Frank Michels, Counselor for Community Family and Children Services. Individual, marital, family group, pregnancy and adoption services are offered, as well as alcohol, drug services and job development and counseling for those in the corrections system.

Were given an update on the New Life Community Services by Director Robert Smock. Nineteen inmates were enrolled in the first quarter and each received 42 hours of direct service. Discussion was held on the plans to create a Community Corrections Board. There is funding available for justice programs.

Learnt a 12 mile stretch of County Road 612 and Sherman Road will be all weather road construction. Plans are being drafted to do F97 in 1990.

Heard brief updates from various other committees.

Full text of official minutes are on file in the Clerk's office.

William E. Ruddy - Chairman

Elizabeth Wieland - Clerk/Reg. of Deeds

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The elementary teachers of Grayling and Frederic recently put in many hours to prepare and clean up for the '100 DAYS' celebration. The activities and high levels of excitement of the youngsters are time consuming and energy-sapping. The teachers and principals accomplish this after and before school hours. Ideas, personal supplies and time are involved for every holiday party and occasion. The little ones have many good memories of their school experiences, due to the extra time of teachers.

At the Middle School there is a core of teachers that are working as a unit to help students with problems get back on track. This involves interviews, evaluations, recommendations, homework counseling, hand holding and some good old fashion TLC. These teachers have given their free time to help students have a successful learning experience.

Teachers at the High School are involved in many of the activities of the students including academic, athletic, social and emotional events, above and beyond the daily classroom routine.

Throughout the district teachers are involved in committees, studies for the enhancement of curriculum, community organizations and church activities.

The administrators fill an impressive roster of affiliations and involvement in the community and throughout the State. The superintendent served as a member of the Michigan Senate Property Tax Commission and MOFDA Property

Tax Committee. He is a past president of North Michigan Superintendents Assoc., past treasurer of United Way, present member of the Grayling Chamber board, United Way board as well as the Crawford County Resource Council and Rotary Good Works Committee.

The assistant superintendent is a past chair of the Mercy Hospital board, member of Mercy Hospital Finance and Development committees. He is also a member of the Crawford County Economic Development and Emergency planning committees and Rotary Scholarship committee, as well as serving on the Michigan Bus Officials Finance Committee.

Our principals and vice principal locally serve on the Kiwanis, Rotary, Booster Club, Viking Spirit, Junior Pro, Little League and their individual Church boards, in the present or in the recent past. President of the Crawford County Library board and a representative of the Michigan Elementary School Principals at the governor's board are positions filled by Crawford AuSable administrators.

Teachers and administrators widen their horizons and give of their time in order to contribute to the quality of education. Their involvement strengthens the partnership of community and schools, an element so vital to the education of our children.

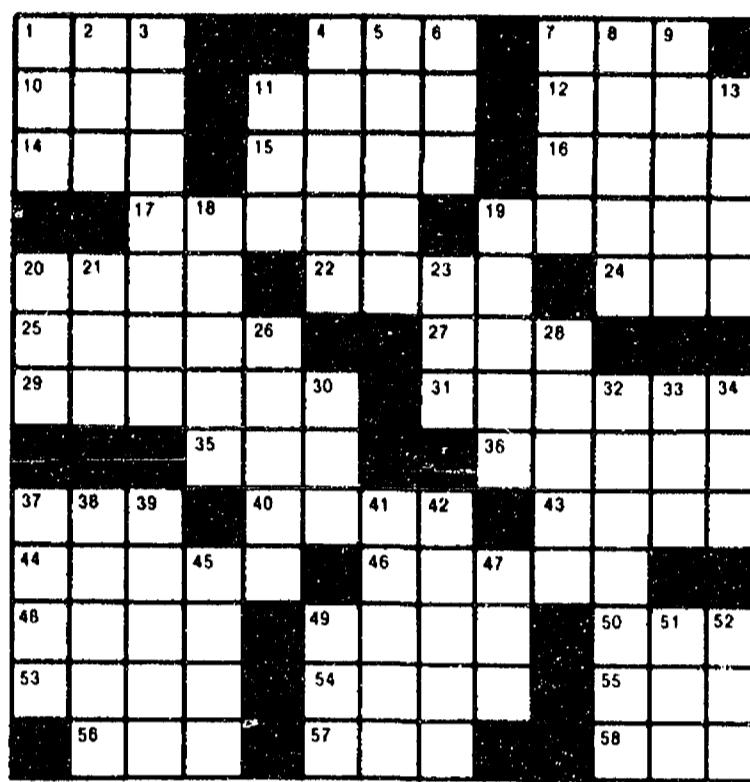
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Features



Your Week Ahead Horoscope

Forecast Period: 3/5-3/11/89

ARIES Mar. 21-Apr. 19

You have your own philosophical concepts of what is right and wrong, which may not always be in "conformance."

TAURUS Apr. 20-May 20

Give attention to original and inventive ideas. Getting your viewpoint across is sometimes difficult. Keep your emotions under control.

GEMINI May 21-June 20

Slight upheaval in the professional circle makes you aware of your shortcomings. Take steps to put things to right.

CANCER June 21-July 22

Misunderstandings arise where meetings are concerned. Check to make sure you are in the right place at the right time.

LEO July 23-Aug. 22

Putting too much faith in intuitive flashes can get you into a tangled financial foul-up. The written word is better.

VIRGO Aug. 23-Sept. 22

Partners or associates instigate change. Know where you stand as others may be less than straightforward in dealings.

LIBRA Sept. 23-Oct. 22

Associate only with those you can depend on for trustworthy advice. Employment matters reach a crucial point.

SCORPIO Oct. 23-Nov. 21

Playing your hunches could lead you way off the track. Speculation without thoroughly studying the situation is inadvisable.

SAGITTARIUS Nov. 22-Dec. 21

Home beautification satisfies the urge to explore new horizons. Many "drop-ins" add the decor you have chosen.

CAPRICORN Dec. 22-Jan. 19

Reading and writing takes on a quality of light humor. Coming from our serious Capricorn, it has a surprising effect.

AQUARIUS Jan. 20-Feb. 18

The financial picture appears solid, but use good judgment in your choice of charitable endeavors. Don't be hoodwinked.

PISCES Feb. 19-Mar. 20

Avoid spending undue amounts of time and energy chasing rainbows. You've got it all right in front of you.

HURON-MANISTEE NATIONAL FORESTS

TIMBER SALE

WEST 102 TIMBER SALE, located within section 27, T25N, R1E, Michigan Meridian, Oscoda County, Michigan. Sealed bids will be received at the Mio District Office, Mio, Michigan up to 11:00 A.M. local time on April 4, 1989, for an estimated 814 Mbf. The estimated sampling error is 7.8 percent and the advertised sale value is \$20,516.29.

The required bid guarantee is \$1,100.00 and must accompany the sealed bid. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. A prospectus and other information concerning this sale may be obtained from the District Ranger at Mio, Michigan or the Forest Supervisor's Office at 421 S. Mitchell Street, Cadillac, Michigan.

SOLICITATION FOR OFFERS

SECTION A — GENERAL SPACE REQUIREMENTS
The USDA Soil Conservation Service (SCS) Grayling Area Office and Resource Conservation Development Office is interested in leasing space in the vicinity of Grayling, Michigan.

LOCATION: The space must be in an area bounded by: Five miles within the radius of the city limits of Grayling.

Offers are solicited under Section 802(c)(10) of the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949 (63 Stat. 377), as amended, for the leasing of 2,000 net usable square feet of general office space, plus or minus five percent.

B. TOTAL AMOUNT OF NET USABLE SPACE.

A. For general office space is required. Space offered must be in a building that is of sound and substantial construction, and shall conform or be capable of being altered to conform with the requirements set forth in the solicitation.

B. Offers are solicited for a minimum of 1,900 square feet to a maximum of 2,100 square feet net usable (see Section D1 for definition) square feet of net usable office space.

C. TERM OF LEASE.

The lease term is for five years firm term with the following renewal options: to be renewed for year to year thereafter until 1996. The lease may be renewed at the option of SCS upon written notice to the lessor at least 90 days prior to the end of the initial lease term or any renewal term.

SCS may terminate the lease after the initial term on sixty days written notice to the lessor.

D. OFFER ACCEPTANCE PERIOD.

Offers are due March 13, 1989, and must remain open until October 1, 1989. Occupancy is required by October 1, 1989. There will be no public opening of offers, and all offers will be confidential until the lease award.

Questions on this solicitation should be referred to Keith R. Martell, Area Conservationist, USDA, Soil Conservation Service, 108 James Street, Grayling, MI 49738. Telephone 517-348-9523.



17 Crawford Co. Avalanche

Thurs., March 2, 1989

Recipes

By Phyllis Brummer

1/8 c. chopped nuts

Combine dry ingredients. Combine egg, milk, oil and almond flavor. Add to dry ingredients and mix only to blend; batter will be lumpy. Fold in cherries and nuts. Put batter in well greased muffin tins and baked at 400° for 25 minutes. Makes 24. As an alternative to the muffins, cherry biscuits might be served. This recipe makes only 12 biscuits, so it should be doubled.

Cherry Biscuits

1 1/4 c. flour

1 tbsps. baking powder

1/2 tbsps. salt

1/2 tbsps. cream of tartar

1 1/4 tbsps. sugar

1/4 c. shortening

1/2 c. milk

1 stick margarine, melted

1/8 c. brown sugar

21 oz. can tart cherry pie filling

Combine dry ingredients and cut in shortening. Add milk and stir until dough forms a ball. On lightly floured surface, knead gently a few times. Roll 1/2" thick and cut with biscuit cutter. In 12 muffin tins, put one tsp. melted margarine, one tsp. brown sugar and one heaping tbsp. pie filling. Top with a biscuit brushed with melted margarine and bake at 425° until biscuits are golden, about 12-15 minutes.

From time to time I will pass along recipes using Michigan cherries, frozen, canned, dried and pie-filling, which have been obtained from the Cooperative Extension Service in Grayling and Traverse City and the Michigan Cherry Commission in Lansing. The dried red tart cherries are not widely available and since it takes 8 lbs. of fresh cherries to make one lb. of dried, the price is rather high, but they are extremely versatile and delicious.

BINGO

Verse or Worse

By Joseph D. Murphy

The Rialto

I remember when we were kids

There was no place we'd rather go.

Than down to the Rialto Theater,

For the Saturday afternoon picture show.

George Olson would greet us with a smile

When we walked up to the ticket booth.

He'd grin and sell us children's tickets,

Though we were over twelve, in truth.

We all loved those cowboy movies

With Hop-along, Gene or Roy.

We knew they'd get the outlaws

With their fast gun or clever ploy.

We would listen real close, to the songs they sang.

And try to remember all the words.

So we could gather in the evening and sing them,

Like a bunch of canary birds.

The plot of the cowboy movies-

We'd use in our cowboy game,

With our clicker guns and speedy draw,

The outlaw gang we'd tame.

Soon, the girls we'd been ignoring

Became objects of delight,

You were a mighty proud young man,

If you had a movie date on Saturday night.

Every time I see the Rialto,

It brings back a pleasant memory,

Of the great times we used to have there,

In the days that used to be.

GRAYLING TOWNSHIP NOTICE

The Grayling Township Planning Commission will hold public hearings on Tuesday, March 7, 1989, in the cafeteria of the Crawford AuSable Middle School, Grayling, MI, to receive and review public opinion regarding the following requests:

Road Commission Minutes

January 20, 1989

A regular meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission was held in their office in Grayling. Present were: Chairman Norman Parker, Commissioner Clyde Anthony, Engineer-Manager John Keir, Accounting Clerk Joanne Thompson, Chairman of Roads & Bridges Bob Nelson. Absent: Commissioner Gloria Kraus.

The minutes of the previous meeting of January 6, 1989 were read. Chairman Parker made a motion to accept the minutes as read, seconded by Commissioner Anthony. All voted in favor, minutes approved.

Payroll Voucher Number 1 in the amount of \$28,074.62 and Materials checks numbered 14541 through 14611 in the amount of \$68,107.56 were presented to the Board for approval of payment. Commissioner Anthony made a motion to accept the vouchers, seconded by Chairman Parker.

Permits reviewed and signed were: Hosking Geophysical to conduct a seismic survey in Beaver Creek and Grayling Townships; Shell Western to conduct a seismic survey in Maple Forest Township; GTE to bury communication cable along Cameron Bridge Road in Frederic Township and Seismograph Service Corporation to conduct a seismic survey in South Branch Township.

The Board reviewed and signed the tentative plats of East Branch River Acres and East Branch Acres.

Various correspondence and committed capital outlay was reviewed. Equipment needs, local road projects and FAS projects were discussed.

Engineer-Manager Keir informed the Board of the Upper Peninsula Road Builders Meeting to be held in Marquette.

Upon returning from lunch break the Board held interviews with seven applicants to fill truck driver vacancies.

There being no further business before the Board a motion was made and seconded to adjourn. All voted in favor, meeting adjourned.

Joanne Thompson Norman F. Parker
Accounting Clerk Chairman

Grayling Township Board

Regular Meeting - February 14, 1989

Members present: John Medler, Ruth O'Mara, Monica Ashton, Arnold Stancil. Members absent: Mike McNamara.

Guests: Marge Rembowski, Dawn Liberty, Heldi Stephenson, Ann Mosher, Lauri Goss.

Supervisor Stancil called the public hearing to receive and review comments on the Evergreen Drive Special Assessment Roll to order at 7:00 p.m.

There were no comments for or against the project from citizens present.

A letter was read from Delphine Charest opposing the blacktopping as not being beneficial to her corner lot as her access is off Stephan Bridge Road. She requests that the Special Assessment District absorb the cost of creating an access to Evergreen Drive from her property.

Motion by Ashton, support by O'Mara, to close public hearing. Ayes: four, Absent: one. Motion carried. (7:20 p.m.)

Supervisor called the regular meeting of the Grayling Township Board to order at 7:30 p.m.

Motion by Medler, support by Ashton, to approve the minutes of January 10, 1989, with the following correction. Item 8: Medler; Nay. Ayes: four, Absent: one. Motion carried.

Motion by Ashton, support by Medler, to accept the Treasurer's report as presented. Ayes: four, absent: one. Motion carried.

No-action Correspondence: Crawford Co. Sheriff's Dept. Report 11/88, Grayling City and Township Fire Dept. Report 1/89, DNR Permit: Bright and Glory Lakes Outlet culvert, M-93. H & R Corporation: snow removal.

BUSINESS:
1. Motion by Medler, support by O'Mara, that the following be adopted approving Evergreen Drive Special Assessment Roll for blacktopping and noted that it is the consensus of this board that the creation or blacktopping any private driveways or accesses would be at the individual property owners expense as has previously been the rule.

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, the Grayling Township Board has received a petition for certain improvements (blacktopping) to Evergreen Drive which runs east off Stephan Bridge Road north of the AuSable River in Section 5, T26N, R2W, and

WHEREAS, on December 13, 1988, at 8:00 p.m. in Grayling Township Offices, M-72 West Plaza, a public hearing was held to receive and review public opinion regarding approval of a proposed Special Assessment District to spread the cost of the blacktopping among property owners fronting on Evergreen Drive or using same for access, and

WHEREAS, subsequent to said public hearing the Grayling Township Board voted unanimously to create a Special Assessment District to blacktop Evergreen Drive, and

WHEREAS, a second public hearing to hear and review the proposed Special Assessment Roll was scheduled for and held on February 14, 1989 at 7:00 p.m. at the Grayling Township Hall.

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Grayling Township Board hereby approves the Special Assessment Roll for Evergreen Drive, Section 5, T26N, R2W, and authorizes the project to proceed.

Ayes: four, Nays: none, Absent: M. McNamara. Resolution adopted.

2. Discussion of Grayling Township Board member appointment to the Planning Commission. Motion by Medler, support by O'Mara, to table until full Board is present. Ayes: four, absent: one. Motion carried.

3. Motion by Ashton, support by Medler, to remove the Blue Cross/Brown Shield question of whether spouses of deceased retirees may continue coverage under our group be removed from the table. Ayes: four, absent: one. Motion carried.

The answer has finally been received and is as follows: Surviving members, upon the demise of retiree subscribers will be allowed to continue as Group Conversion Subscribers.

4. Motion by O'Mara, support by Ashton, that N.M.C.O.A. dues be the responsibility of the electrical inspector if he chooses to continue his membership. Ayes: four, absent: one. Motion carried.

5. Electrical bids for repairing lightning damage at the Township Hall have been forwarded to North Michigan Land & Oil's insurance company as instructed by Dale Nelson.

6. Motion by Medler, support by O'Mara, to schedule a public hearing in April regarding creation of a Special Assessment District to blacktop Portage Avenue at Lake Margrethe as, once again, the petition has signatures of a majority of property owners. John Keir, Road Commissioner Engineer and Drain Commissioner will be requested to attend. Ayes: four, absent: one. Motion carried.

7. Motion by O'Mara, support by Medler, to approve the splitting of parcel 20-045-300-006-008-00 as proposed by Stancil. Parcel 20-045-300-005-010-00 A.K.A. Lots 10, 11, and the SW 1/4 of Lot Nine, Block 2, Grayling Park Subdivision. The change eliminates non-conformity caused by the structure which straddled the property line between lots 9 & 10. Both parcels conform to requirements of the R-2 Zone. Ayes: four, Nays: none, absent: one. Motion carried.

8. Reports written and on file: Supervisor/Assessing, Building Dept., C.C.T.A., GRA, Planning Commission.

9. Board members received copies of 1987-88 Annual Report prepared by Mickey Perez, C.P.A. and 1-31-89 Budget Comparison of Revenues and Expenditures prepared by Clerk Ashton.

10. Motion by O'Mara, support by Ashton, to approve payment of bills on vouchers 11145, 11146, 11158 through 11202 and 11213 in the amount of \$19,220.17. Ayes: four, Nays: none, absent: one. Motion carried.

11. Motion to adjourn by Ashton, support by Medler. Motion carried.

Monica S. Ashton, CMC

Crawford County Board of Commissioners

January 26, 1989 Regular Meeting

SYNOPSIS

The Regular Meeting of the Crawford County Board of Commissioners was held on the 26th day of January, 1989 at 9:40 a.m. in the city of Grayling.

Commissioners present: Kitchen, Harland, Nelson, Callewaert, Ruddy, Coy and McLachlan. County Clerk Elizabeth Wieland present. There were 15 visitors present at various times.

IN FORMAL ACTION, COMMISSIONERS:

- Accepted the minutes of the 12-29-88 Regular Meeting, Organizational Meeting of 1-3-89 and 1-10-89 Regular Meeting.

- Accepted 13 pieces of communications.

- Submitted a response to MI State Housing Development Authority reflecting the action taken by the Housing Commission on the issues raised in the 1987 audit report.

- Accepted the low bid from Larry Porter - Ford/Mercury of Roscommon for the lease of three patrol vehicles on a three year lease agreement in the amount of \$1,404.57 per month.

- Continued life insurance benefits for the Sheriff and Undersheriff the same as other law enforcement officers in the Department.

- Authorized the Clerk to order the hardware and software necessary to expand the Deed's Office computer to 40 megabytes.

- Approved a step increase for the clerical employee in the Cooperative Extension Service.

- Approved a request for temporary help in the Clerk's office while a deputy is on medical leave.

- Authorized District Court to order the necessary receipts and ledgers for the court at an estimated cost of \$750.00.

- Entered into a letter of understanding with P.O.A.M. Bargaining Unit to grant uniform cleaning allowance of \$300.00 per year-one half January 1 and the balance July 1.

- Allowed placement of canisters in the local business establishments to collect donations for enforcement of drug laws for participants of all law enforcement officers.

- Approved the following transfers from the General Fund: to Child Care Fund \$35,000.00, to Law Library Fund \$3,500.00, to Soldier/Sailor Relief Fund \$200.00 and from the Revolving Fund to General Fund \$190,000.00 for 1988 as requested.

- Supported the Fish Hatchery Committee's concept and authorized locating a Parks and Recreation student to draft a Master Site Plan for the Fish Hatchery property, providing no financial commitment is made on behalf of the County.

- Accepted the recommendation of Labor and Personnel Committee and accepted the Wage & Salary Program completed by Hardwick and Assoc.

- Lifted the freeze on new hires and/or replacements and authorized the Prosecutor to fill the vacancy in the Crime Victim's Rights Act.

- Approved payment of \$6,437.11 in Ambulance bills for 1988 and 1989.

- Adopted a policy requiring sealed bids on equipment over \$1,000.00 from all departments to be opened by the Ways and Means Committee, or full Board of Commissioners.

- Created a Special Committee to pursue and recommend some type of position for administration of negotiations, purchases and etc.

IN OTHER BUSINESS, COMMISSIONERS:

- Learned the Landfill will be using a double liner/detection system rather than a tracer for monitoring the trenches. The DNR said if this measure is compiled with, the license will be granted.

- Were informed that a sewer project for the city of Grayling was approved. It is currently at capacity and must be expanded.

- Heard an update on the recycling program. Plastic containers, tin cans and newspapers are being collected in cardboard. More education on recyclables is needed. A spring cleanup of hazardous waste products will be scheduled for spring as a grant for disposal has been received.

- Listened to a report on Sheriff Dept. activities. An agreement was made with Camp Grayling regarding AWOL persons. The Drug Abuse Resistance Education Program was discussed. This how to say "NO" to drugs program is presented to 5th graders. The Board was informed that Sheriff Hatfield reduced his annual salary \$1200.00 for his term, as he promised.

- Learned the second new ambulance chassis will be delivered about February 11th.

- Were given a brief resume of services by Bernie Dunning, Adm. Supervisor and Frank Michels, Counselor for Community Family and Children Services. Individual, marital, family group, pregnancy and adoption services are offered, as well as alcohol, drug services and job development and counseling for those in the corrections system.

- Were given an update on the New Life Community Services by Director Robert Smock. Nineteen inmates were enrolled in the first quarter and each received 42 hours of direct service. Discussion was held on the plans to create a Community Corrections Board. There is funding available for justice programs.

- Learned a 12 mile stretch of County Road 612 and Sherman Road will be all weather road construction. Plans are being drafted to do F97 in 1990.

- Heard brief updates from various other committees.

Full text of official minutes are on file in the Clerk's office.

William E. Ruddy - Chairman
Elizabeth H. Wieland - Clerk/Reg. of Deeds

Legal Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN
In The Probate Court For
The County of Crawford

File No. 88-4525

CLAIMS NOTICE

In the Estate of Chris Lynn
Breitfeld.

TO ALL INTERESTED PERSONS: Your interest in the estate may be barred or affected by the following:

1. The Decedent, whose last known address was 6637 Old Lake Road, Grayling, Michigan, Crawford County, died on August 11, 1987.

2. An estate has been set up.

3. Creditors of the Deceased are notified that all claims against the estate will be barred unless presented within four months of the date of publication of this notice, or four months after the claim becomes due, whichever is later.

Claims against the estate must be presented to the Personal Representative, Kathleen Antea at her attorney's office, Fred E. Foster, P.O. Box 1248, Gaylord, Michigan.

Notice is further given that the estate will be thereafter assigned and distributed to persons entitled to it.

FRED E. FOSTER (P13591)
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Susan Keane
Township Clerk

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Good News . . . From the Crawford AuSable School Board

'Behind the scenes' how many of us think that teachers and administrators work minimal hours and days? How many of us really are in the know? Probably, very few. Aside from the time outside of the classroom spent on preparing lessons and the continuing education of self, many teachers are involved with their students, outside of the classroom. Administrators are also involved, outside of the normally scheduled day, with students' lives and activities of the community and state.

The elementary teachers of Grayling and Frederic recently put in many hours to prepare and clean up for the '100 DAYS' celebration. The activities and high levels of excitement of the youngsters are time consuming and energy-sapping. The teachers and principals accomplish this after and before school hours. Ideas, personal supplies and time are involved for every holiday party and occasion. The little ones have many good memories of their school experiences, due to the extra time of teachers.

At the Middle School there is a core of teachers that are working as a unit to help students with problems get back on track. This involves interviews, evaluations, recommendations, homework counseling, hand holding and some good old fashion TLC. These teachers have given their free time to help students have a successful learning experience.

Teachers at the High School are involved in many of the activities of the students including academic, athletic, social and emotional events, above and beyond the daily classroom routine.

Throughout the district teachers are involved in committees, studies for the enhancement of curriculum, community organizations and church activities.

The administrators fill an impressive roster of affiliations and involvement in the community and throughout the State. The superintendent served as a member of the Michigan Senate Property Tax Commission and MOFDA Property

Tax Committee. He is a past president of North Michigan Superintendents Assoc., past treasurer of United Way, present member of the Grayling Chamber board, United Way board as well as the Crawford County Resource Council and Rotary Good Works Committee.

The assistant superintendent is a past chair of the Mercy Hospital board, member of Mercy Hospital Finance and Development committees. He is also a member of the Crawford County Economic Development and Emergency planning committees and Rotary Scholarship committee, as well as serving on the Michigan Bus Officials Finance Committee.

Our principals and vice principal locally serve on the Kiwanis, Rotary, Booster Club, Viking Spirit, Junior Pro, Little League and their individual Church boards, in the present or in the recent past. President of the Crawford County Library board and a representative of the Michigan Elementary School Principals at the governor's board are positions filled by Crawford AuSable administrators.

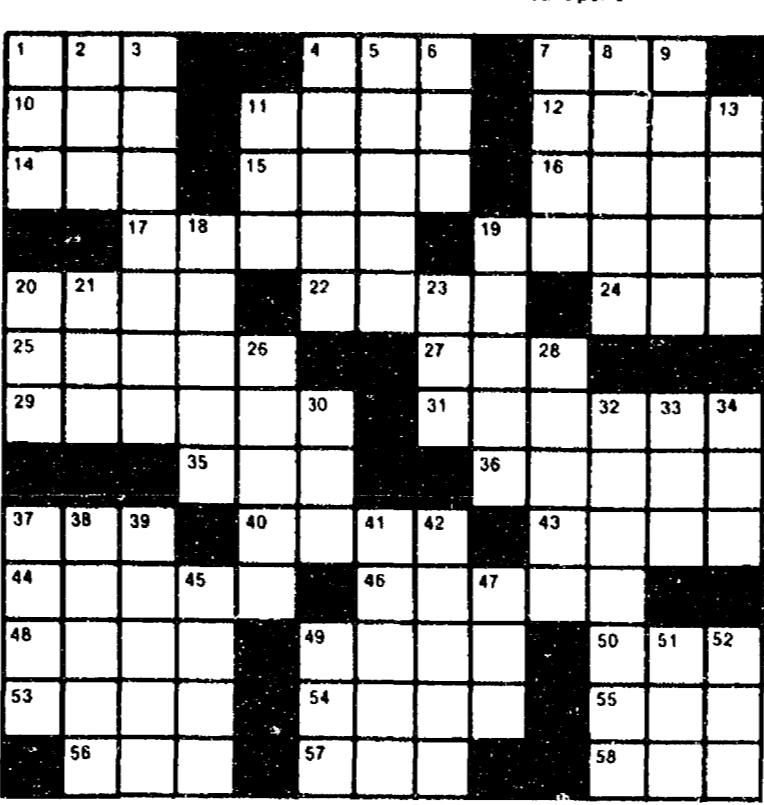
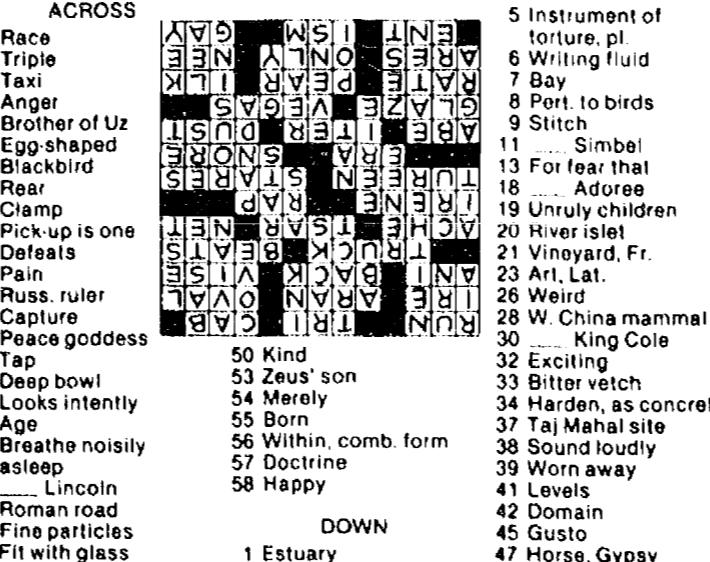
Teachers and administrators widen their horizons and give of their time in order to contribute to the quality of education. Their involvement strengthens the partnership of community and schools, an element so vital to the education of our children.

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THIS WEEK'S PUZZLE ANSWER



Your Week Ahead Horoscope

Forecast Period: 3/5-3/11/89

ARIES
Mar. 21-Apr. 19

You have your own philosophical concepts of what is right and wrong, which may not always be in "conformance."

TAURUS
Apr. 20-May 20

Give attention to original and inventive ideas. Getting your viewpoint across is sometimes difficult. Keep your emotions under control.

GEMINI
May 21-June 20

Slight upheaval in the professional circle makes you aware of your shortcomings. Take steps to put things to right.

CANCER
June 21-July 22

Misunderstandings arise where meetings are concerned. Check to make sure you are in the right place at the right time. Putting too much faith in intuitive flashes can get you into a tangled financial foul-up. The written word is better.

LEO
July 23-Aug. 22

Partners or associates instigate change. Know where you stand as others may be less than straightforward in dealings.

LIBRA
Sept. 23-Oct. 22

Associate only with those you can depend on for trustworthy advice. Employment matters reach a crucial point.

SCORPIO
Oct. 23-Nov. 21

Playing your hunches could lead you way off the track. Speculation without thoroughly studying the situation is inadvisable.

SAGITTARIUS
Nov. 22-Dec. 21

Home beautification satisfies the urge to explore new horizons. Many "drop-ins" admire the decor you have chosen.

CAPRICORN
Dec. 22-Jan. 19

Reading and writing takes on a quality of light humor. Coming from our serious Capricorn, it has a surprising effect.

AQUARIUS
Jan. 20-Feb. 18

The financial picture appears solid, but use good judgment in your choice of charitable endeavors. Don't be hoodwinked.

PISCES
Feb. 19-Mar. 20

Avoid spending undue amounts of time and energy chasing rainbows. You've got it all right in front of you.

HURON-MANISTEE NATIONAL FORESTS

TIMBER SALE

WEST 102 TIMBER SALE, located within section 27, T25N, R1E, Michigan Meridian, Oscoda County, Michigan. Sealed bids will be received at the MIO District Office, MIO, Michigan up to 11:00 A.M. local time on April 4, 1989, for an estimated 814 Mbd. The estimated sampling error is 7.8 percent and the advertised sale value is \$20,516.29.

The required bid guarantee is \$1,100.00 and must accompany the sealed bid. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved. A prospectus and other information concerning this sale may be obtained from the District Ranger at MIO, Michigan or the Forest Supervisor's Office at 421 S. Mitchell Street, Cadillac, Michigan.

SOLICITATION FOR OFFERS

SECTION A — GENERAL SPACE REQUIREMENTS

The USDA Soil Conservation Service (SCS) Grayling Area Office and Resource Conservation Development Office is interested in leasing space in the vicinity of Grayling, Michigan.

LOCATION: The space must be in an area bounded by: Five miles within the radius of the city limits of Grayling.

OFFER: Offers will be accepted under Section 302 (c) (1) of the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949 (33 Stat. 377), as amended, for the leasing of 2,000 net usable square feet of general office space, plus or minus five percent.

TYPE AND AMOUNT OF NET USABLE SPACE

A. First-class general office space is required. Space offered must be in a building that is of sound and substantial construction, and shall conform or be capable of being altered to conform with the requirements set forth in the solicitation.

B. Offers are solicited for a minimum of 1,900 square feet to a maximum of 2,100 square feet net usable (see Section 1) for definition) square feet of net usable office space.

TERM OF LEASE

The lease is for a five year term with the following renewal options: to be renewed from year to year thereafter until 1993. The lease may be renewed at the option of SCS upon notice to the lessor at least thirty days before the end of the initial lease term or any renewal term. SCS may terminate the lease after the initial term on sixty days written notice to the lessor.

OFFER ACCEPTANCE PERIOD: Offers are due March 13, 1989, and must remain open until October 1, 1989. Occupancy is required by October 1, 1989. There will be no public opening of offers, and all offers will be confidential until the lease award.

Questions on this solicitation should be referred to Keith R. Martell, Area Conservationist, USDA, Soil Conservation Service, 103 James Street, Grayling, MI 49738. Telephone 517-348-9025.



Recipes

By Phyllis Brummer

1/3 c. chopped nuts

Combine dry ingredients. Combine egg, milk, oil and almond flavor. Add to dry ingredients and mix only to blend; batter will be lumpy. Fold in cherries and nuts. Put batter in well greased muffin tins and baked at 400° for 25 minutes. Makes 24. As an alternative to the muffins, cherry biscuits might be served. This recipe makes only 12 biscuits, so it should be doubled.

Cherry Biscuits

1 1/4 c. flour

1 tbs. baking powder

1/2 tsp. salt

1/2 tsp. cream of tartar

1/4 tsp. sugar

1/4 c. shortening

1/2 c. milk

1 stick margarine, melted

1/3 c. brown sugar

21 oz. can tart cherry pie filling

Combine dry ingredients and cut in shortening. Add milk and stir until dough forms a ball. On lightly floured surface, knead gently a few times. Roll 1/2" thick and cut with biscuit cutter. In 12 muffin tins, put one tsp. melted margarine, one tsp. brown sugar and one heaping tbsp. pie filling. Top with a biscuit brushed with melted margarine and bake at 425° until biscuits are golden, about 12-15 minutes.

From time to time I will pass along recipes using Michigan cherries, frozen, canned, dried and pie fill, which have been obtained from the Cooperative Extension Service in Grayling and Traverse City and the Michigan Cherry Commission in Lansing.

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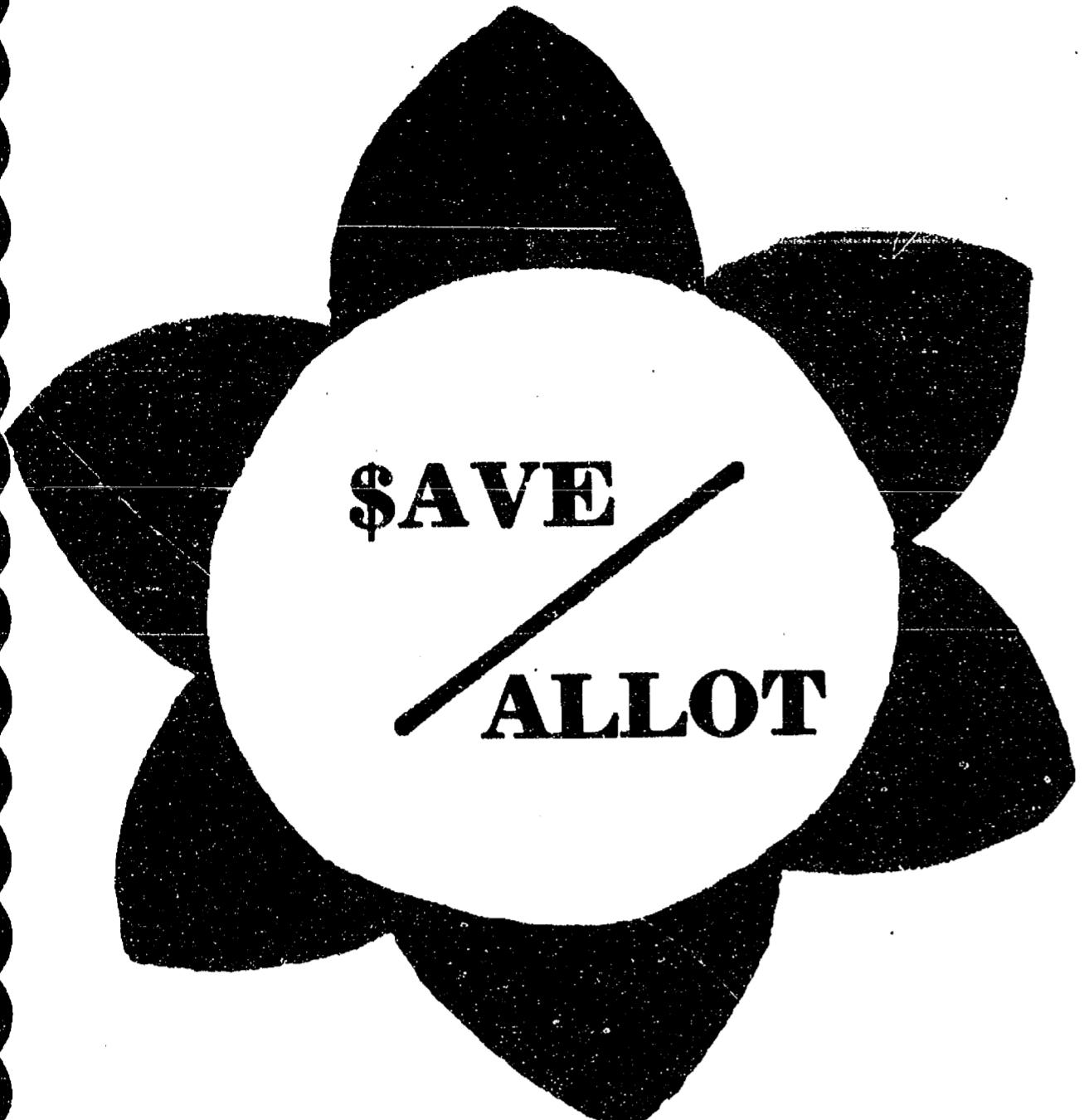
1 tbs. plus 1 tsp. baking powder

1 tsp. salt

1/4 c. sugar

1 egg, beaten

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